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INDUSTRIAL DISORDERS.

The Buffalo Railway Strikers Kept Down by the Presence of Militia Regiments.

Tennessee Miners Striving to Set Free the Convict Laborers of the State.

Attacks on the Stockades Repulsed by the Guards—An Ugly Situation.

BUFFALO, Aug. 16.—It was nearly 3 o'clock this morning when the regiments of militia reached the scene of riot and disorder in the Erie and Lehigh Valley yards, beyond East Buffalo. Awed no doubt by the appearance of the troops at so early an hour of the morning, the strikers went away without disturbance. The track on both sides of the line for half a mile is guarded by soldiers, while the balance of the regiments are holding their camp with stacked rifles ready for any emergency. The situation this morning has a decidedly serious look. The military is in control of all the yards of the road. The strikers have been drinking, and are as ugly as any body of men can be. They say they will not permit any men brought here by the roads to go to work, and that if any attempt is made to put them in the yards they will be killed. When the new men are put to work, which will probably be to-day, they will be under the protection of the militia. They will work under cover of rifles and bayonets. Sheriff Beck has assured the railroads that they will have all protection that can be given them. Up to 10:30 o'clock this morning neither side had made any advance, and the situation is one of waiting.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Everything is quiet in the Jersey City yards of the Erie and Western Railroad to-day, and all trains are leaving on scheduled time. There is no evidence that the strike is troubling the road. The officials of the road in Jersey City feel sure that there will be no strike at this end of the line. They say the employees are treated in the best possible manner, and the officers have their assurance that they will not strike. One of the switchmen said this morning: "We have everything we desire, and would have no cause for striking. Further, by far the greater number of the men are not associated with the Buffalo strikers in any organization. Most of us are brotherhood trainmen, while it is the Switchmen's Mutual Aid Association of North America that is striking in Buffalo."

A Clergyman's Predicament.

CAMDEN, N.J., Aug. 16.—A good looking, refined young woman walked demurely into the parlor of Rev. J. T. Shaw's residence yesterday, and calmly announced that she had come to be married to him. Mr. Shaw, who is much liked as pastor of the Bethany Methodist Episcopal church, and a rather handsome man, was somewhat surprised at the declaration, but it did not prepare him for the amorous outburst that followed. The young woman declared her undying affection for the preacher, and when his wife strolled into the room declared that he must procure a divorce and marry her. A policeman arrived just as the young woman was heartily embracing the Rev. Mr. Shaw, and she was taken out. She has not been identified, but she is said to be the daughter of a well-known business man, who has lost her mind through religious excitement.

Vulgar Ostentation.

DANBURY, Conn., Aug. 16.—The body of Russell Benedict, who died at Marienbad, Austria, July 25, reached here to-day, in what is probably the richest burial casket seen on this continent. The box is solid silver and is elaborately embellished with gold. On the top is a gold crucifix two feet long. The casket is carried by means of eight gold handles, and is supported by six lions' legs, and festoons of gold flowers are draped around it. On each of the four corners is a golden angel six inches high. It is not known how much the casket cost. Mr. Benedict was a very weathy man, although he had lived many years in Austria. He was born in this city.

Big Camp Meeting.

LENA, Ill., Aug. 16.—The 22nd annual gathering of the Freeport District Methodist Camp Meeting Association opened here to-day. The meeting is under the charge of Rev. F. A. Hardin, D.D., presiding elder of the Freeport District. Many able leaders from a distance have been engaged, among them being Chaplain McCabe, Rev. H. W. Bolton, D.D., Rev. William Fawcett, D D., Rev. W. A. Spencer, secretary of the Church Extension Society, and Rev. A. D. Tramiller, superintendent of the city missions of Chicago. The association has erected a large tent on the camp grounds that will seat 1500 people, and a successful meeting is looked for.

A Road Convention.

DES MOINES, Aug. 16.—Almost every city, town and county in the state of Iowa is represented in the road convention which assembled here to-day. The convention is made up about equally of farmers and business men, both of which classes are interested in the improvement of the highways of the state. The convention will remain in session two days, and will be addressed by Governor Boies, Judge Thaver, Hon. James Wilson and many other leading citizens.

Tennessee Miners on the Warpath.

HARRIMAN, Tenn., Aug. 16.—Information just received is that guards are still holding the Big Mountain contract camp, near Oliver Springs. The miners have completely surrounded the stockade, and an attack is momentarily expected. Telephone communication between Oliver Springs and the mines is still down. A report, thought to be reliable, is that an attack was made last night at Briceville. It is stated that the party was repulsed by the guards, who had been reinforced by fifty picked men, sent on a forced march to assist them.

NASHVILLE, Ten., Aug. 16.—The miners attacked the stockade at Oliver Springs and were repulsed. Two guards were wounded. A second attack is looked for any moment.

Burial of Sailor Riggin.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 16.—On Sunday the body of Charles W. Riggin, the boatswain's mate of the U.S.S. Baltimore, who was killed by the Valparaiso

mob, was buried with naval and military honors. The funeral procession was made up of some 4000 representatives from the naval, military, civic and patriotic organizations, and there were crowds of spectators along the line of march. The body was brought to Philadelphia on Friday, and lay in state in Independence Hall until the day of the funeral. The interment was made in Woodland cemetery.

Capt. Johnson's Suicide.

PORT TOWNSEND, Aug. 15.—Harry Johnson, captain of the schooner Sailor Boy, of San Francisco, jumped overboard at sea and was drowned. The Sailor Boy was bound from San Francisco to Karluk to load a return cargo of salmon. Captain Johnson had not been in command of the vessel for a couple of trips on account of sickness, and in the meantime Captain Jamison had charge. He relieved the latter about July 1 at San Francisco and sailed for the north. He complained to his subordinates regarding his illness, and appeared to be greatly despondent. On the twelfth day of the voyage he somewhat recovered, and was in better spirits. He was busily engaged in writing all day. About nine o'clock in the evening he called all hands aft. From the quarter deck he made a few remarks, admonishing his crew to strict obedience to the first officer in the event of any mishap to himself. His voice choked, his eyes filled with tears, and with a piteous appeal to remember him to his friends he took a flying leap over the vessel's side into the icy sea. Nearly every man aboard the vessel was so affected by his speech that they were struck dumb with horror when he went over the side. The officers rushed to the rail, saw their captain rise to the surface, and after throwing him a life preserver lowered the boats. It was a useless task. The search was kept up many hours, until darkness rendered further search useless. The crew was downcast and heartbroken. In the cabin on the table lay several letters, sealed and ready for mailing, telling the cause for the rash deed; also his will, disposing of his property.

The United Typothetæ.

TORONTO, Aug. 16.—The annual meeting of the United Typothetæ of America opened here to-day. The National Editorial Association is represented by five delegates, and the convention is the largest of the kind ever held.

A Sailing Race.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.—The ships Commodore T. H. Allen and Howard D. Troop, sailed together from New York on a race for this port. The Allen arrived this morning, having made the trip in one hundred and thirty three days.

Brief Dispatches.

BOSTON, Aug. 16.—There have been some grave developments to-day regarding the defalcation of Jas. E. Gilman, of Gilman & Cheney. The total amount of the deficit is now estimated at $300,000. Mr. Gilman took $40,000 in cash and easily convertible securities with him, which points not so much to suicide as to Canada. There have been rumors that a woman was concerned in the case, but no names are mentioned.

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 16.—Mrs. Mattie Looney, 50 years old, a former resident of Atlanta, was murdered in Cobb county yesterday. For some time Will Ellis, of Atlanta, a young man 30 years old, has been living with her. Mrs. Looney was decoyed from her home into the woods, and had evidently been stoned to death. Ellis has disappeared and there is no clue to his whereabouts. The woman had willed him her entire property.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—S. Albert Kimball, a dentist, 24 years of age, of 26 West 26th street, committed suicide this morning by cutting his throat with a razor. Kimball left a note saying he preferred death to a lunatic asylum.

COSHOCKTON, Ohio, Aug. 16.—Near Warsaw last evening a construction train on the Toledo, Waalhending Valley and Ohio Railway, now in process of construction, collided with some empty cars at a gravel pit, killing six men and injuring 15.

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THE C.P.R. AND VANCOUVER

Alleged Small Foundation for the Report Regarding the Railway's Threat.

Five Thousand Dollars Paid in Compensation for the Breaking of a Leg.

Rescue from a Disreputable House—Nanaimo's Schools Reopened Yesterday.

VANCOUVER, Aug. 16.—Col. Baker left to-day on the Islander for Victoria.

There seems to be no authenticity for the statement published in the World last night that the C. P. R. would stop all work in this city if a bonus were given to the Northern Pacific, and move its business to English Bay. The only statement is that of Contractor Tompkins, and his statement may be regarded as a feeler thrown out to test public sentiment. The rumor as published created a good deal of excitement in this city.

The time for paying taxes to obtain the 20 per cent. discount has been extended to Sept. 1.

The steamer Sunbury will receive a bonus of $20 a week for running to Chilliwhack twice a week.

The Burrard Inlet and Fraser Valley railway bonus by-law has received a second reading in the council and will be voted on soon by the ratepayers.

$5000 DAMAGES.

Municipal Responsibility Admitted—Rescued From a Living Death.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Aug. 16.—In the police court, John Stickney was fined $5 for assaulting poundkeeper McCray.

The City Council last night decided to give William Jeffries $5000 in settlement of his claim for damages against the city. Jeffries had his limb broken by the apron at the ferry.

Duncan and Batchelor have moved a wooden building to make room for a new brick structure on Columbia street. The old building was considerably added to and placed in the rear of the new brick building. This is contrary to the fire by-law. The fire committee will enforce the by-law.

The artillery band has been voted by the council $250. The band intimated that there would be no more music if money was not forthcoming.

Stella Urquhart, aged 22, was taken out of a house of ill-fame last night. The young woman lives in Tacoma and was betrayed by a man who brought her to Westminster. Here he deserted her and she entered a house of prostitution. The mother learned of her daughter's whereabouts and yesterday afternoon sought the police and obtained her daughter. Stella was taken to Tacoma this morning.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Reopening of the Schools—Delighted Excursionists—St. Paul's Institute.

NANAIMO, Aug. 16.—The schools were reopened here yesterday and the attendance was larger than at any previous reopening. The scholars looked remarkably fresh, having enjoyed the vacation immensely, and look determined to study hard during the present term, for coming laurels. Many fresh faces could be noticed in the different classes, tho owners of which had won their way up by their diligence and good behavior. In the high school the best scholars are now missing, having been successful in the recent examinations; their places are now taken by younger pupils from the other schools.

The passengers by the Queen yesterday enjoyed themselves in a general ramble around the city. The day was in every way favorable for the purpose and through the kindness of Mr. Robins, the visitors were permitted to ramble through his magnificent gardens, which were thrown open for their inspection. In the evening the Nanaimo silver cornet band marched down to the wharf and serenaded the visitors for a couple of hours, much to the delight of the ladies. They were well satisfied with their visit to Nanaimo and the treatment they received.

A grand dinner was given last evening by Mr. J. Richards, proprietor of the Hotel Wilson, to a number of his friends, and the elaborate and delicious spread was a sufficient proof that one would have to travel a long distance before he could obtain its equal. The cuisine is presided over by a real French chef, who has passed the culinary examination in Paris, and the ladies waiting on the tables make the establishment very complete. One and all of the guests were of the opinion that when once a person dines at the Hotel Wilson they will always go there.

The half yearly meeting of the executive committee of St. Paul's Institute takes place on Thursday 18th inst., when a new president and secretary will be elected to fill the place of those resigned. During the year great propress has been made in placing the institute on a par with other establishmetns of the kind, and it is now the best place in the city for one to spend an evening in recreation. In one room is a large English billiard table where many a good game is played, while in the hall abundance of literature may be perused until the reader gets tired. Then there are all kinds of amusements on the different tables, where one may spend an idle hour at. There are several things on the tapis that will probably cause the citizens to take more interest in these rooms.

At a meeting of the M. & M. L. P. A. last evening, everything was perfected for the labor demonstration to take place in Nanaimo on Saturday next. The procession will form in front of the lodge room on Commercial street and will march to the E. & N. railroad crossing, where they will be met by a contingent from Northfield. The procession will then turn and march to the Caledonian picnic grounds where they will be addressed by a few prominent speakers, after which they will enjoy themselves at the sports.

THE NEW CABINET.

Mr. Gladstone Returns From Osborne and Makes the Announcement.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—Mr. Gladstone left Osborne House this morning to return to London, after his interview with the Queen. When he returned to the city he was warmly greeted. He

immediately met the members of the new ministry in conference.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—The following is the official list of the Gladstone cabinet: Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, Earl Rosebery; Lord Chancellor, Baron Herschell; Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir William Vernon Harcourt; Home Secretary, Herbert Henry Asquith; Secretary of State for India, Earl Kimberly; Secretary of State for Colonies, Marquis of Ripon; Secretary of State for War, Right Hon. H. Campbell Bannerman; First Lord of Admiralty, Earl Spencer; Chief Secretary of State for Ireland, Right Hon. John Morley; Secretary of State for Scotland, Right Hon. Sir Geo. Otto Trevelyan; President of the Board of Trade, Right Hon. J. Mundella; President of the Local Government Board, Right Hon. H. H. Fowler; Postmaster-General, Arnold Morley; President of the Council, Earl of Kimberly; Vice-President of the Council of Education, Arthur Herbert Dyke Acland; Lord Houghton is Viceroy for Ireland and Mr. Gladstone is Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

W. Gardiner, of Tacoma, is in town.

R. Cunningham, of Skeena River, is in town.

F. W. Parker, of the Northwestern Railway, is in town.

Rev. Canon Beanlands returned from the Mainland last evening.

J. McKay, the Dominion fishery inspector, is at the Oriental.

S. S. Hyams, Mrs. Hyams and Miss Hyams returned last evening from the Sound.

E. Hutcherson, of Ladner's Landing, inspector of fruit pests, is registered at the Oriental.

The Rev. D. MacRae and Mrs. MacRae left by the Yosemite this morning for a few weeks' holidays at Chilliwhack.

W. J. Drysdale left this morning on a holiday trip east. He will spend a month in visiting relatives in Toronto and Montreal.

W. Boulter, the senior member of the firm of Boulter & Sons, of the Bay of Quinte Canning Company of Picton, Ont., is at the Oriental. This is his first visit to Victoria.

Mrs. W. P. Linley, who has been nursing her little boy at the Jubilee quarantine station, is out again and is registered at the Clarence. The little patient is now thoroughly recovered.

Rider Haggard's Brother.

QUEBEC, Aug. 15.—Lieut.-Colonel Andrew C. P. Haggard, of the Scottish Borderers and formerly of the Egyptian army, arrived last night by the steamship Sardinian, and is staying at the St. Louis Hotel. He is going to Lake St. John for two weeks' fishing and will afterwards go through to Vancouver. He is a brother of Rider Haggard, the well-known novelist.

John Burns' Wife and Child.

Have you ever seen the starch taken out of a Conservative "Johnnie?" If you had been with me in one of the Battersea tramcars the other day, that joy would have been yours. John Burns and his wife were also passengers by the same modest means of locomotion, and among the travelers was a man whose general style proclaimed him the ubiquitous unionist. As a miserable looking woman with the remains of two unlovely black eyes was leaving the car, dragging with her a still more pitiable specimen of humanity in the shape of a poor little girl, the distinguished traveller remarked loudly enough for her to hear: "There goes John Burns' wife and his child." Great surprise and astonishment were felt as he continued, 'Is it not a disgrace that a man who aspires to such a position in public life should allow his wife and child to go about in that condition?' In a moment the new M.P. for Battersea turned gravely toward him and said, 'May I ask, sir, do you know John Burns?' 'No, I don't,' came the reply. 'Then allow me to introduce you to Mrs. Burns,' turning to the lady at his side. The would-be slanderer saw at once how he had put his 'foot in it,' signed to the conductor to stop, and as he tumbled out, looking absolutely limp, the conductor said in an audible aside, 'I wonder yer didn't sling him out, Mr. Burns.'"—London Correspondence.

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CABINET MEETING.

Mr. Gladstone's Triumphal Progress on the Way to Osborne—Probabilities.

LONDON, Aug. 15.—It is learned this evening that Mr. Gladstone has chosen for himself the offices of the First Lord of the Treasury and Lord of the Privy Seal.

In the House of Lords to-day Lord Salisbury stated that the Cabinet had presented its resignation, which had been accepted by the Queen. His lordship then asked Lord Kimberly, as leader of the Liberal peers, to explain to the House the foreign and domestic policy of the incoming Government. Lord Kimberly said he was not yet a member of the Cabinet, and could not therefore consider himself authorized to reply to the enquiry of the noble earl. Lords Connemara and Edinburgh took their seats after the usual oath and the House adjourned until Tuesday.

Mr. Gladstone's trip to Osborne to lay before the Queen the names of those to comprise his cabinet was like a triumphal progress. The stations en route were crowded, and ovations were tendered the Liberal everywhere. Among the crowds were hundreds of workmen, with their wives and children. Mr. Gladstone was greeted with cheers and shouts of congratulation—"good luck to you," "glad you look so well," and other homely greetings were plentiful. At St. Peter's field there were dozens of children arrayed in white, who threw flowers into Mr. Gladstone's saloon. At Portsmouth the Liberal club met their leader in a body and hundreds of workmen at the Government docks left their tasks and joined the cheering throng. A similar scene was witnessed at Cowes, where the royal carriage awaited Mr. Gladstone's arrival. Mr. Gladstone sent telegrams to his wife from every station along the line informing her of his health and progress.

After dining with the Queen, Mr. Gladstone slept at Osborne, as usual on such occasions.

The Daily News, while acknowledging that no authentic news of the composition of the new cabinet can be obtained before Mr. Gladstone's return from Osborne House, gives the following list, which it says is correct probably in every particular: Premier and First Lord of the Treasury, W. E. Gladstone; Lord Chancellor, Lord Herschell; Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Wm. Harcourt; Foreign Office, Earl of Rosebery; Home Office, H. H. Asquith; War Office, Campbell Bannerman; Admiralty, Earl Spencer; Chief Secretary for Ireland, John Morley; President of the Board of Trade, A. J. Mundella; Local Government Beard, Henry Fowler.

It is stated on good authority that there will be a meeting of the Irish sections on Tuesday, at which another effort will be made to compromise the differences between the rival parties. Mr. Blake, the Canadian member of Parliament for South Longford, has brought about the meeting, but it is not generally believed that an agreement will result.

CANADIAN NOTES.

News by Mail and Wire From All Parts of the Dominion.

W. P. Lett, for 36 years city clerk of Ottawa, died Monday.

Mr. J. Burgess, M.A., of Sydenham, has been appointed rector of Kingston Collegiate Institute.

The Government cruiser Acadia has captured another smuggling schooner, the Marie Rose, with a large quantity of liquor, and towed her to Rimouski.

Premier DeBoucherville has notified the promoters of the Quebec lottery that the Government has decided to abolish that and all other lotteries in the province.

The Kingston moulders' strike is nearing an end. The Chown & Cunningham Foundry Company have consented to take back five strikers without conditions. The strike has lasted two months.

Hon. C. H. Tupper says the Behring Sea arbitrators are not likely to meet before March next. It is thought the session of Parliament will be very early, to enable Sir John Thompson to get away.

The statement of the business of the postoffice savings bank for the last fiscal year shows that the amount of deposits increased half a million. The total number of banks is 642, an increase of eight.

Says a late Toronto dispatch: "The city streets are torn up in every direction, so one can readily accept the statement that there are more men on the city payroll now than at any time last year. In paving alone $650,000 will be spent this season."

Bishop Taylor, of Salt Lake, is at Ottawa endeavoring to induce the Government to allow the free admission into Alberta of 10,000 sheep as settlers' effects, for the Mormon colony at Lees Creek. He also wants assistance for irrigating works.

In the church of St. John the Evangelist, Montreal, when Rev. Arthur French, who was about to marry Chas. Merin to a young woman, came to the usual question whether any one had any objection, a fashionably dressed lady rose in the church and created a sensation by declaring that Merin had a wife living.

A copy of an order in council passed at Ottawa July 11, laid before the Northwest Assembly, shows that the assembly has been given absolute control of all funds voted by the federal parliament for expenditure on account of the territorial government. Heretofore the lieutenant-governor had partial, and in some cases complete control.

A large fire in the timber in the mountains in the vicinity of Crow's Nest Pass was burning last week, and for several days the smoke hung so heavy over the prairie that the sun appeared like a large ball of fire. On Monday the smoke was all cleared away and it is presumed that the heavy rain on Saturday night has extinguished the flames.—Lethbridge News.

Jas. Beatty, hotel keeper; John Downs, farmer; and Geo. Dow, butcher, of Lambton county, alleged ringleaders in the gang of counterfeiters who for the past six months have been operating along the St. Clair frontier and adjacent territory, have been arrested and committed for trial. Molds, ladies and other paraphernalia used in making bogus coin, together with a large number of coins blurred, were found on Dow's premises.

A closed carriage in which were seated Mr. William McGregor, M.P. for North Essex, Capt. Sullivan and Rev. Mr. Holmes, was overturned through the horses becoming freightened at a G.T.R. train at Walkerville. Mr. McGregor's face and head were badly cut, his left leg broken between the knee and the ankle, and it is thought he sustained internal injuries as well. The other occupants of the carriage escaped with a severe shaking up.

The citizens of Toronto have voted $150,000 to the Toronto Industrial fair for improvements to be made on the grounds for this year's exhibition, which is to be held from the 5th to the 17th of September next. About fifty acres have been added to the present grounds and a new race track and a new grand stand, to seat 12,000 people, is being built and many other improvements being made. Consequently this year's fair promises to be greater and better than ever.

The Ontario Government is meeting with determined opposition all along the line in the effort to establish a binding twine factory in connection with the Central prison. When Provincial Secretary Gibson went to the States to purchase machinery he found agents of the twine combine of both the States and Canada doing their best to circumvent the Government's efforts. They failed, however. Machinery was purchased and there is now no doubt that before next harvest Ontario farmers will be able to get twine at cost price and the province will be free from the grasp of combines.

Toronto Empire: Many of the friends of Dr. Gregory Fere, of McCaul street, will be surprised to hear that he has decided to abandon the practice of medicine and become a Jesuit priest. He is now in Montreal making the necessary arrangements and his solicitor here is engaged in winding up his business affairs. Dr. Fere is well known among students of Toronto University. He spent one year with the arts class of '87, and obtained high honors in the department of modern languages. Then he entered the faculty of medicine, where his career was a distinguished one. After his graduation he was for some time demonstrator in anatomy in Toronto Medical school. Those who know him will earnestly hope that he may find in his new vocation the satisfaction which worldly ambition apparently could not afford him.

A Quebec dispatch says: "The shortening of the transatlantic passage to a three days' voyage is an inducement now held out to the Canadian Government by the promoters of a new Labrador railway scheme. The proposal involves the establishment of an ocean steamship port at Port Manaham, which is situated on Lewis Inlet, about 60 miles north of the Straits of Belle Isle. It is claimed that the short crossing between Port Manaham and Milford Haven, in Wales, could be easily made in 72 hours by the greyhounds now running between New York and Liverpool. It is claimed by the authors of the scheme that during the season the navigation of almost all the mails between Europe and America, as well as the bulk of the passenger trade would follow the shortest existing route. Public interest in the scheme has been awakened in Canada by the publication of the report of a survey for a railway from Quebec to Labrador. The westward connections of the projected line would be more easily controlled by the Canadian Pacific people than by anybody else."

Fay Templeton's Mother Married.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—Alice Vane Vanest, the mother of Fay Templeton, was married yesterday afternoon to Arthur Leverson, whose stage name is Alfred C. Whelan, and is now playing the Caliph in "Ali Baba" at the Chicago opera house. Leverson secured a divorce from his wife, a non-professional, a few days ago, and on the witness stand told a harrowing tale of his wife's treatment of him. Mrs. Leverson came here some time ago with her 2 children and night after night took her stand at the stage door of the theatre until her husband appealed to the doorkeeper, and drove her away. Miss Templeton accompanied her mother to Chicago, and stood up with her during the ceremony. They will leave for New York to-day, but Whelan will remain here. Miss Templeton starts for Europe on the 20th, to remain several weeks. She and her mother are still stopping at the Victoria, but will not receive callers. Leverson is an Englishman and married his first wife in England.

Mrs Annie W. Jordan

Of 165 Tremont St., Boston, was in very poor health, from bad circulation of the blood, having rush of blood to the head, numb spells, and chills, and the physician said the veins were almost bursting all over her body. A collision with a double runner brought on neuralgia of the liver, causing great suffering. She could not take the doctor's medicine, so took

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and soon fully recovered, and now enjoys perfect health. She says she could praise Hood's Sarsaparilla all day and then not say enough.

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11:00 p.m	*Lv	Seattle	Ar	3:00 p.m.
12:30 a.m	Lv	Pt Madison	Lv	2:10 p.m.
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3:00 a.m	Lv	Pt Gamble	Lv	11:00 a.m.
4:00 a.m	Lv	Pt Ludlow	Lv	10:00 a.m.
6:00 a.m	Ar	Pt Towns'd	Lv‡	8:00 a.m.

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7:00 a.m	*Lv	Seattle	Ar	2:00 p.m.
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11:00 a.m	Lv	Everett	Lv	9:45 a.m.
12:00 m	Lv	Marysville	Lv	9:30 a.m.
2:00 p.m	Lv	Lowell	Lv	8:00 a.m.
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St. Louis Post-Dispatch: "Don't worry your hair if you want it to grow thick and long," was the advice of a well known dresser. "Let it hang loosely about the head when you are in your own room, and do not irritate it with combings and brushings and shampooings. If it is thin rub a little hair tonic on it, and if it comes out treat it to a dose of hair renovator. Clip the ends when they begin to split—let it alone."

Nothing is worse for the hair than the frequent washings which some people give it. Unless the hair is perfectly dried it becomes sour and soggy, and there is a tendency to baldness. Brushing it vigorously for two or three hours a day, as is the custom of some people, is almost as bad, for unless the hair is strong and the scalp tough the little hair roots are destroyed by the hundred.

Hair that is dry should have an occasional application of some well-recommended pomade, and oily hair should be treated to a tonic which comes for the purpose. Hairpins injure the hair, and the daggers which are now so fashionable scrape the scalp and cause mischief. Drawing the hair back tightly tends to produce baldness on the temples and back of the ears. A parting is never a good thing for the hair unless the part be frequently changed before it has time to broaden.

At night the hair should lie loosely over the top of the pillow, and in the afternoon when a woman is in her own room writing letters or taking a siesta she should again give her hair an opportunity to rest.

It is hard to kill hair. If you do not believe this try to get rid of that superfluous hair on your upper lip and see how it resists your efforts. Perhaps if it were possible to abuse it as many women abuse their scalps the task would not be such a difficult one. Rusty hairpins, fierce brushings, tight braids, and too many shampoos are the cause of the thin hair which many women have.

TWENTY-FIVE SECONDS.

In That Time the Blood in a Man's Body Makes the Round Trip.

Medical Record.]

Medical workers have made many curious experiments, but none more wonderful than that by which they ascertained the exact time required for the blood, to make one entire trip through the system, which all students of physiology know means a complete circulation through the lungs, veins, arteries and the general capillary arrangements. Professors Dalton, Hering, Poissenille, Mattucci and Blake have been the chief investigators in this line, the first named having become more eminent in this particular branch of research from having the experience of others to fortify himself with. All the old school anatomists believed that a considerable time elapsed, say from three to nine minutes, from the time when the blood left the right side of the heart, traversed the whole system and then again returned to the starting point. Dalton has shown that the time is much shorter than was formerly generally supposed. The chief agent used in his experiments was a salt known to chemists as ferrocyanide of potassium, which can be readily detected in the blood on account of its chemical reactions. Prof. Dalton describes the operation in the following language: "Blood was drawn from the jugular vein of the opposite side, and the interval which elapsed before the appearance of the foreign salt in blood drawn from the second opening indicated the time required for the blood to pass from the point of injection through the vena cava to the heart, from the right side of the heart through the lungs to the left cavities, from the left ventricle through the carotid arteries and the capillary vessels of the head, and thence downward to the jugular vein on the opposite side. Dozens of carefully tabulated tests of this somewhat extraordinary subject show that the blood of man makes a complete circulation once every fifteen or twenty-five seconds, according to the physical conditions of the subject experimented upon."

The Canal Tolls.

MONTREAL, Aug. 14.—The Gazette, the organ of the Dominion Government, in an officially inspired editorial to-day says: "The Government has decided not to rescind the order-in-council granting a rebate on grain passing through the St. Lawrence canals this season. Next year, however, it is expected different arrangements will be made. A statement to this effect will be sent to the Washington authorities, who will also be informed of the reasons for the Government's course. This is well understood. The rebate in the first instance was granted for the season, and, reckoning upon its continuance, contracts have been made, in which residents of the United States, as well as Canadians, are interested. Very serious inconvenience and actual loss would follow a sudden withdrawal of the rebate at this period. The Government is anxious to avoid, while at the same time it does not desire to give occasion for acts of reprisal, such as the recent legislation of Congress provided for. The line of policy taken should satisfy all except, perhaps, the Ogdensburg elevator firms and their associates, who, it is supposed, have been behind the Government in the movement for retaliation. While it is not known what the U. S. Government will do, it is reasonable to expect that the statements of this country's intention will be accepted as outlining a fair solution of the dispute, and this the more so because there are strong United States interests concerned in the maintenance of the St. Lawrence route as an active competitor for the export grain trade. The Canadian Government will also propose that a conference be held between the representatives of the two Governments at Washington during the coming winter to discuss the whole question of railways and inland navigation."

Another Side of the Shopping Question.

Two men occupied a seat in an open car the other morning, and as they reached the shopping district, the car stopping at every block to drop passengers, one of them freed his mind after the usual masculine fashion:

"Odd, isn't it, how women can shop all day and all the year round?"

The other laughed. "Yes, it would be, only you get used to it; they all do it. Now, I go to my tailor's twice a year and get all I want."

"So do I," said the other indulgently, "but then they like it and it takes them out."

The other acquiesced, and the subject, thus satisfactorily settled, was dropped.

It probably never occurred to these complacent minds that a man's shopping is a molehill to the mountain needed in a household, and it is not believed that twice a year at his tailor's satisfied either of these well dressed men. How about shirts, shoes and neckties, hats, gloves and underwear? Perhaps their wives "shopped" for some of these things. Certainly they did for the chairs and carpets, the hangings and pictures, and all the things, little and big, which made their homes comfortable, and for little Jane and big Tom and the baby and all the rest. But a man never sees a woman turn on a street that holds a dry goods shop that he does not assume with more or less flippancy that she has gone to buy a bonnet for herself.—Her Point of View in New York Times.

Rioting at an English Election.

There was great rioting at Brentford in 1768, when Sergeant Glynn was opposed to one Proctor. The sergeant was the popular candidate, but a hired mob, bruisers and chairmen from town, of whom the famous pugilist Broughton was the leader, cleared the hustings of all Glynn's supporters and endeavored to force the return of their employer. In this attack a young man named Clarke had his skull fractured and died soon after. But an official inquiry made by a number of surgeons at Surgeons' hall was brought to pronounce that the broken head did not contribute to the young man's death, a result unhesitatingly attributed by the caricaturists of the period to the weighty arguments of so many bags of gold.

In this last election the parson, Horne Tooke, the author of the "Diversions of Purley," took a prominent part. A candidate himself for a pocket borough later on, Gillray represents him in a caricature as the "old Brentford shuttlecock." It was Tooke's return, it will be remembered, that gave occasion for an act rendering those in holy orders incapable of serving in parliament.—All the Year Round.

Dyed Jewelry.

The dealer in precious stones as well as the jeweler has constantly to exercise great vigilance lest he be deceived by dyed jewelry, especially diamonds, which trickery is at present advanced to the state of art, and even the dealer with an experience of years is occasionally taken in.—Jewelers' Circular.

A Snake That Hatches Eggs.

Pythons, like birds, actually incubate the eggs they lay. This was first ascertained at the Jardin des Plantes, in Paris. The female arranges her eggs in a conical heap, twining herself around them so that her head surmounts the summit of the cone, and thus can quickly perceive the approach of any enemy. She will remain thus coiled for two months without taking food, though she has been known to drink copiously upon water being offered her by her keeper.

Although snakes, like all other existing reptiles, are cold blooded animals, yet these incubating snakes become temporarily warm blooded while thus occupied. This has been well ascertained by introducing a thermometer within the circuit of the coils of such an incubating female python.—Quarterly Review.

The Lord of the Manor.

There is an amusing story of a Yorkshire farmer who complained to a lawyer, who was looking over an estate for a possible purchaser, that a certain arch was so low that "it wer varry awk'ard in leadin out a laud o' manner." The lawyer thought that "laud o' manner" meant a lord of the manor, but on what possible occasions, or for what possible reasons, the lord of the manor had to be carried out of this particular foldyard on the top of a cart he could not divine, and not until he met the vicar of the parish and learned that the difficulty was that the archway of the foldyard was not sufficiently high to get an ordinary sized load of manure out conveniently did he at all understand the farmer's meaning.—London Athenæum.

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NOTICE.

The Fall Term of the Victoria City Public Schools will commence on Monday, 5th September, 1892.

By order, B. WILLIAMS,
Secretary.

Victoria, B.C., Aug. 6, 1892.
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A BY-LAW

For raising the sum of $300,000 for Sewerage purposes.

WHEREAS it is expedient to raise the sum of $300,000 for the purpose of sewerage works within the area in the City of Victoria, bounded by the northerly side of Beacon Hill Park, Victoria Harbor, the northerly side of Chatham street, the easterly side of Blanchard street, the northerly side of Pandora avenue and the easterly side of Cook street, by constructing common sewers and branch sewers on the side lines of the streets wherever deemed expedient within such area.

AND WHEREAS it will require the sum of $15,470 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the said debt and interest as hereinafter mentioned.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole ratable real property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, according to the last revised assessment roll, is $17,563,148.

AND WHEREAS it will require an annual special rate of 9-10 of a mill in the dollar for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said intended debt.

AND WHEREAS it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

Sec. 1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $300,000 currency or sterling money, at the rate of $4.86⅔ to the pound sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

Sec. 2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of $300,000 either in currency or sterling money (at the rate of $4.86⅔ to the pound sterling), as may be required, each of the said debentures being the amount of $1000 or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

Sec. 3. The said debentures shall be made payable in 50 years from the date hereinafter mentioned for this by-law to take effect either at the office of the treasurer of the said Corporation, City Hall, Victoria, or at the office of the Bank of British North America in London, England, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest.

Sec. 4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly either at the office of the said treasurer, or at the office of the Bank of British North America in London, England.

Sec. 5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest to become due thereon an equal special rate of 9-10th of a mill in the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be levied and collected in each year upon all ratable real property within the said City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

Sec. 6. This By-Law shall before the passage thereof receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided for by the Municipal Act, 1892, and shall take effect on the 26th day of August, 1892.

Sec. 7. This By-Law may be cited as the "Sewerage Loan By-Law, 1892."

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of August, 1892.

TAKE NOTICE

That the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at Burnes' building, Bastion Square, for the Centre Ward; at the City Hall, corner Pandora and Douglas streets, for the North Ward, and at the building situated on the east side of Government street, between Broughton and Courtney streets, and known as No. 27, for the South Ward, in the City of Victoria, on Monday, the Twenty-Second Day of August instant, and that the poll will be kept open between the hours of eight o'clock a.m. and four p.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B. C., Aug. 4, 1892.

A BY-LAW

To enable the Corporation of the City of Victoria to raise the sum of $75,000 for Board of Health purposes.

WHEREAS it is expedient to raise a sum of money for the purpose of providing a fund for Board of Health expenses incurred and to be incurred by the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

AND WHEREAS for the purpose aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the City the sum of $75,000.

AND WHEREAS it will require the sum of $5867 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the said debt and interest as hereinafter mentioned.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole ratable property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria according to the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1891, was $17,563,148.

AND WHEREAS it will require an annual special rate of 9-40 of a mill in the dollar for the payment of the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said interest debt according to the Municipal Act, 1892.

AND WHEREAS it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

Sec. 1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $75,000 currency or sterling money at the rate of $4.86⅔ to the pound sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

Sec. 2 It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of $75,000, either in currency or sterling money (at the rate of $4.86⅔ to the pound sterling) as may be required, each of the said debentures being of the amount of $1000 or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

Sec. 3. The said debentures shall be made payable in fifty years from the date hereinafter mentioned for this By-Law to take effect either at the office of the Treasurer of the said Corporation, City Hall, Victoria, or at the office of the Bank of British North America in London, England, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest.

Sec. 4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly either at the office of the said Treasurer or at the office of the Bank of British North America in London, England.

Sec. 5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest to become due thereon an equal special rate of 9-40 of a mill in the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be levied and collected in each year upon all ratable property within the City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

Sec. 6. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the City of Victoria to appoint or direct the treasurer aforesaid to pay out of the said sum so raised or obtained, and to pay into the credit of the municipal revenue for the year all expenses or sums of money which have been paid out of the said revenue, or out of money obtained under the authority of the "Annual Loan By-Law, 1892," or any other by-law of a like effect, on account of or for expenses or payments made on account of or for liabilities incurred by the Local Board of Health of the said Municipality or for payments or liabilities sanctioned or recognized by the said Board.

Sec. 7. This By-Law shall before the final passage thereof receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided for by the Municipal Act 1892, and shall take effect on the 26th day of August, 1892.

Sec. 8. This By-Law may be cited as "The Board of Health Expenses By-Law, 1892."

Passed the Municipal Council the 3rd day of August, 1892.

Returned by the Mayor for amendment 8th August, 1892.

Reconsidered and amended by the Council 8th August, 1892.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B. C., August 4th, 1892.

A BY-LAW

For Raising the Sum of $60,000 to Provide for and Improve the Public Electric Lighting of the City of Victoria.

WHEREAS it is expedient to extend and improve the present Public Electric Lighting of the City of Victoria and for that purpose to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the said City the sum of $60,000.

And whereas it will require the sum of $3,094 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the debt intended to be hereby created and the interest thereon.

And whereas the amount of the whole ratable real property of the said City according to the last revised assessment roll is $17,563,148.

And whereas it will require an annual special rate of 7-40 of a mill in the dollar for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said intended debt.

And whereas it is intended to reduce the general rate so that that said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

Sec. 1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of the debentures hereinafter mentioned from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same as a loan a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $60,000 currency or sterling money at the rate of $4.86⅔rds dollars to the pound sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

Sec. 2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums as may be required not exceeding however the sum of $60,000 either in currency or sterling money (at the rate of $4.86⅔rds dollars to the pound sterling) as may be required, each of the said debentures being of the amount of $1,000 or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

Sec. 3. The said debentures shall be made payable in 50 years from the date hereinafter mentioned for this By-Law to take effect either at the office of the Treasurer of the said Corporation, City Hall, Victoria, or at the office of the Bank of British North America, London, England, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest.

Sec. 4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum from date thereof which interest shall be paid half-yearly either at the office of the said Treasurer, or at the office of the Bank of British North America in London, England.

Sec. 5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures to become due thereon an equal special rate of 7-40 of a mill in the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be levied and collected in each year upon all ratable real property within the said City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

Sec. 6. This By-Law shall before the passing thereof receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipal Act, 1892, and shall take effect on the 26th day of August, 1892.

Sec. 7. This By-Law may be cited as the "Electric Lighting Loan By-Law, 1892."

Passed the Municipal Council the 3rd day of August, 1892.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B. C., Aug. 4, 1892. aug4

A BY-LAW

To enable the Corporation of the City o Victoria to raise the sum of $100,000 for the acquisition, establishment and maintenance of a City Hospital, Land and Buildings in connection therewith.

WHEREAS it is expedient to raise a sum of money for the purpose of the acquisition, establishment and maintenance of a City Hospital, land and buildings in connection therewith.

AND WHEREAS for the purpose aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the city the sum of $100,000.

AND WHEREAS it will require the sum of $5157 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the said debt and interest as hereinafter mentioned.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole ratable property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria according to the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1891, was $17,563,148.

AND WHEREAS it will require an annual special rate of three-tenths of a mill in the dollar for the payment of the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said intended debt according to the Municipal Act, 1892.

AND WHEREAS it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of the debentures hereinafter mentioned from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same as a loan a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $100,000 currency or sterling money at the rate of $4.86⅔ to the pound sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

Sec. 2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums as may be required not exceeding, however, the sum of $100,000 either in currency or sterling money (at the rate of $4.86⅔rds dollars to the pound sterling) as may be required each of the said debentures being of the amount of $1000 or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

Sec. 3. The said debentures shall be made payable in 50 years from the date hereinafter mentioned for this By-Law to take effect, either at the office of the Treasurer of the said Corporation, City Hall, Victoria, or at the office of the Bank of British North America in London, England, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest.

Sec. 4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half yearly either at the office of the said treasurer or at the office of the Bank of British North America in London, England.

Sec. 5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest to become due thereon an equal special rate of 3-10 of a mill in the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be levied and collected in each year upon all ratable property within the City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

Sec. 6. This By-Law shall, before the passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation, in the manner provided for by the Municipal Act, 1892, and shall take effect on the 26th day of August, 1892.

Sec. 7. This By-Law may be cited as "The City Hospital By-Law, 1892."

Passed the Municipal Council the 3rd day of August, 1892.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., Aug. 1st, 1892. au4

A BY-LAW

To amend the "City Library By-Law, 1888."

WHEREAS it is desirable to amend the City Library By-Law, 1888.

THEREFORE be it enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. Section three of the "City Library By-Law, 1888," is hereby amended by striking out the figures "$1200" in the last line thereof and inserting therefor the figures "$3000."

2. This By-Law may be cited as the "City Library By-Law Amendment By-Law."

Passed the Municipal Council the 22nd day of July, 1892.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B. C., August 4th, 1892.

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SITUATIONS VACANT.

Advertisements under this head will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTED AT ONCE—A general servant for a family of two. Must be able to do cooking. Apply at 9 Trounce avenue. au16.tf

WANTED — Good general servant. 175 Chatham street. au16-3t

WANTED—Teacher for Esquimalt public school. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 25th inst. W. S. Goodwin, Secretary Board of Trustees, Esquimalt. au11-tf

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—Two apprentices at the "Elite" Dressmaking Parlors, 140 Fort street. au11-tf

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Advertisements under this head, three lines or under, two insertions, FREE. This applies only to men or women, boys or girls, looking for situations.

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WANTED—By a young Englishman, a position in wholesale or retail business. Has had a long experience. Good references. Address C.A.P., TIMES office. au12-1m

GIRL—15 years of age, desires a place to do light house work or take care of children. Address M. M., TIMES office. j30-tf

HOUSEKEEPER—A lady between 30 and 35 years of age desires a situation as housekeeper. Address K. B., TIMES office. j30-tf

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

Advertisements under this head will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

YOUNG MAN, aged 22, would like to correspond with young lady aged 17 or 20—object, matrimony. One who likes country life. Address E J.C., office this paper. au16 3t

WANTED — Immediately, a second hand steam engine and boiler, three or four horse-power. Address, stating particulars, "Business," TIMES office. au12-tf

WANTED—To purchase, neighborhood of James Bay preferred, a good house having from seven to ten rooms, and lot. State price and all particulars. Address A.M.W., TIMES office, Victoria. au9-tf

WANTED—To borrow two buggy horses for two months; keep for work, also two buggies. H. C. TIMES office. jy12-tf

FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE—The new 13-ton schooner "Caroline, now lying at Spratt's wharf. Apply to owner on board. au15-3t

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FOR SALE—Several 4-roomed cottages in the city near the fountain. $50 down, the balance as rent. Would let at $10 per month. Apply R. Tassell, 15 Perry street. au12-1m

FOR SALE—Two 7-roomed houses, one 8 and one 10, with bath, pantry, etc., $100 down, the balance as rent; or would rent. Apply R. Tassell, 15 Perry street. au12-1m

FOR SALE—One yoke of work oxen. L Goodacre. jy28-tf

FOR SALE—Furnishings of a commodious and desirable hotel. Apply to Weiler Bros., 55 Fort street. jy13

LOST OR FOUND.

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LOST—On Saturday last, the 13th inst., on upper Fort street, a young fox terrier, black head, short legs and tail. Owner's name on collar. Reward if returned to A. J. C. Galletly, Belcher street, or Bank of Montreal. au16-3t

PHYSICIANS.

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DR. A. T. WATT,
Physician, Surgeon and Accoucheur.
Office and residence No. 36½ Douglas street near Fort). Dr. Milne's old residence.
May 19-d&w-tf

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L.R.C.P., Edinburgh.
Physician, Surgeon, etc. Specialty:—Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
Office, corner Yates and Douglas streets.
Residence, corner Cadboro Bay road and Fernwood. au4

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SPECIALTY:—Diseases of Women and Diseases of the Rectum.
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Graduate Ont. Vet. Col., Member Ont. Vet. Med. Soc. (Late with Dr. John Wende, V. S., Buffalo, N. Y.) Office at Ewing's Livery, 109 Johnson Street. Telephone 182; residence telephone 417. VICTORIA, B. C.

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Warningly yours,
SOOSIE POOSIE.

SOCIETIES.

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Select Degree meets 1st Wednesday in each month. A. H. MATTHEW.
G. SUTHERLAND, S.C. ap12 R. Sec.

I. O. G. T. PERSEVERANCE LODGE, No. 1, I.O.G.T., meets every Tuesday evening in Temperance Hall, Pandora avenue, at 7:30 o'clock. my17

B. C. PIONEER SOCIETY.
The Hall of the above society in Musgrave Block, Broad street, is open daily from 10 a.m., to 4 p.m., for the convenience of Pioneers and their friends, who are cordially invited to visit the rooms.

ANCIENT ORDER FORESTERS
Court Vancouver No. 5755, A.O.F., meets 1st and 3rd Mondays in each month in Foresters' Hall, Government street. Visiting brothers are invited.
fe13 SIDNEY WILSON, Sec.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 1, A. F. & A.M., B.C.R. Regular communications the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner of Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
ja16 C. DUBOIS MASON, Secretary.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE, No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. jy2 R. A. BROWN, Secretary.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH
Chapter, No. 120, G.R.S. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall, Masonic Temple, Douglas street. Sojourning companions cordially invited. E. LANGLEY.
1-1y Scribe E.

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P
Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend. E. PFERDNER,
oct9 K. of R. & S.

ST. ANDREW'S & CALEDONIAN
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L. GOODACRE.
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PUBLIC MEETING.

Mayor Beaven has called a public meeting for Thursday evening to discuss the by-laws which are to be voted on next Monday, 22nd inst. The by-laws are as follows:

For sewerage purposes	$300,000
For Board of Health (to pay smallpox expenses)	75,000
For electric lighting	60,000
For a city hospital	100,000
For library	3,000

The meeting ought to be largely attended, as the amounts to be voted are to be spent on improvements which closely affect the health of the community. The sewers, suppression of smallpox, and a city hospital are very "live" questions at the present hour, and it is well that the mayor and aldermen should afford the ratepayers all the information possible, so that they can vote intelligently for the adoption or rejection of the by-laws.

EXEMPTION LAW.

The Government of the Province has doubtless many advisers, if scarcely so many sympathisers. Chief among the advisers, because the most independent and disinterested, the TIMES claims the front position. We would, if it were possible, save the Government from its worst foes—would save Theodore Davie, Premier, from his unconcealed, although unavowed enemy. That enemy is himself. The Attorney-General is the most virulent opponent of the Premier. Blunder upon blunder, error upon error, has been and still is the unvaried record of the Head of the Government. We still, however, desire his reclamation, because his reformation also involves the good of the Province. We suggest that the Government, instead of issuing ukases that are so much waste paper, should busy themselves with the preparation of useful schemes of social progress, domestic measures and sanitary reform.

There has been a growing discontent among our trading classes with the Exemption law. In the Province of British Columbia, as distinct from the other provinces of the Dominion and Newfoundland, there is a law enacted by which any debtor may in the case of insolvency, or to prevent exhaustion of estate consequent upon distraint, claim an exemption of $500. In addition to this the Homestead law grants an exemption of $2500 upon a homestead, if registered at a period when the debtor could indisputably show that he possessed assets exceeding the sum of his liabilities. This latter clause is less objectionable than the former, inasmuch as it secures a home to a settler, and few creditors care to meddle or distrain upon a man's home. Probably the $500 exemption law, the operation of which allows a debtor to claim $500 of personal property of any kind; clothing, tools, stock-in-trade, food and furniture, was a very wise enactment in the early days in the province. For it is evident that when settlers come to a new country without any well defined methods of industrial projects, with imperfect knowledge of the best returns for their labor and capital, they may enter upon schemes of commerce and manufactures that may possibly end in disaster. Now to pauperize a settler, who from the very nature of the settlement is accepting a great risk, is to pauperize a community. A community has a right to take care of itself, and the special legislation which exempted $500 of personal property and $2500 value of homestead was in the days when Victoria was a Hudson Bay settlement a very reasonable thing. That time has changed. British Columbia is assuming more of the proportions and methods of eastern provinces, and changes in the statutes relating to collection of debts should reasonably be made. Doubtless all new provinces find it necessary to provide special safeguards for their settlers. Manitoba and the North-west Territories share with British Columbia the honor of being most lenient in homestead exemption; but both Manitoba and the North-west Territories specify the special articles that shall be exempted. Food for a family for 60 days, furniture, clothing, tools, implements and a certain amount of live stock and land, not exceeding 160 acres, are the special features of their law. The other provinces are as follows:—

Ontario exempts $150 worth of clothing, furniture, etc., $40 worth of food, $75 of live stock, $100 of tools, implement.

Quebec exempts beds, bedding, clothing, one outfit of cooking utensils and crockery; food and fuel for 30 days; $30 worth of tools, implements, etc.; pensions, wages and salaries not due, together with articles of an ecclesiastical character.

New Brunswick exempts $100 worth of tools, implements and household furniture.

Prince Edward Island exempts $50 worth of wearing apparel, bedding, tools, one stove and one cow in county court, the Supreme Court allowing $16.22 in money.

Nova Scotia exempts clothing, tools, one store, bedding and one cow.

Newfoundland—No exemption.

Now it is obvious from the above list that the older a province is the more stringent its exemption law becomes, and as the well-being of the community depends upon the soundness of its commercial system, in the being able to rely upon its debts as assets worth one hundred cents to the dollar, or nearly so, we therefore suggest that it is time for the government of the province to make reasonable changes in the present law. The wholesale merchant must pay the manufacturer, the retail merchant must pay the wholesale trader and the consumer must pay the retailer; and any law calculated to retard the flow of just payment should be repealed. Now the present law of exemption does this. It permits a man who is dishonest to purchase furniture, clothing, tools in trade, stock in trade, food or any goods or merchandise of any kind up to $500 and retain the whole of it legally without paying one cent to his creditors. And it is so easy to obtain credit in this city that numbers of merchants are smarting from tricks of the "dead beats" and never-pays that deliberately obtain credit with an intention to defraud. A debtor in this city purchased on credit a valuable horse worth $1000. He became insolvent and the sheriff took possession. The debtor claimed $500, and as horses were rather difficult to sell, and no adequate bid was made for the animal, *the debtor actually become possessed of this horse worth $1000 for which he had never paid a cent.* A statute which permits such deliberate robbery must be injurious to the moral sense as well as to the financial statutes of a community.

At the same time we are clearly in favor of a reasonable exemption law. That of Ontario, which distinctly specifies the articles to be exempted, with perhaps some slight modifications, seems to us to be the most suitable to the conditions of this Province. Any law which leaves a creditor at the mercy of the debtor, to that sometimes unknown quantity called the honor of the debtor, cannot be sound statesmanship. A debt once contracted in good faith on both sides should be collectable by process of law, and any statute must be pernicious which makes a debtor richer by getting into debt. We, therefore, invite the Government to enter upon this and other more promising fields of legislation. To do so will be to win greater renown than by assuming the role of an autocratic power, which will disappear at the waving of the magic wand of the people at the polling booth.

WITH THE REINS OF POWER.

Mr. Gladstone has been formally invested with power and has constructed his Cabinet, so that up to this stage the many predictions of failure delivered by his opponents have been falsified. Whether his success will continue after he has begun the active work of administration must be left to the test of time to determine. Much is said about the complete dependence of his Government on the Irish members, whose defection at any time would leave it in a minority, and who are therefore represented as likely to enforce demands in the way of Home Rule legislation that the Liberals would not otherwise concede. This is quite possible, but not at all probable. The Nationalists would prove themselves fools indeed if they attempted to force Mr. Gladstone to go beyond the Home Rule limit which the opinions of his English and Scottish supporters fix, with the alternate of losing his majority if he refuses. They would simply be playing into the hands of the Tories, who have nothing to offer them in the way of Home Rule. Even if they are naturally disinclined to moderation, they can hardly be so short-sighted as to throw away the advantage they have now gained by reaching for the impossible. We shall believe that the Nationalists can act thus foolishly only when they are found actually guilty. Some Canadian journals, following the lead of the London Times, go so far as to declare the results of the late election is really a verdict against Home Rule, inasmuch as England returned a majority against Gladstone, though the other three portions of the United Kingdom pronounced in his favor. Why should England have any more right to decide the question than Scotland, Wales and Ireland? The truth is that the pronouncement of these three is of more important than that of England, since the opinion of the latter is largely influenced by the fact that she practically enjoys Home Rule under the present conditions. She cannot, at any rate, successfully claim more than her pro rata share of power in voting on a question which affects the whole Kingdom. The Tories are working hard in another direction to create prejudice against their successors in office. They are sedulously striving to cultivate the impression that under the new regime nothing will be done to uphold Britain's power abroad. The Gladstone Government, they say, will "scuttle out of Egypt," and will generally allow Russia her own way as regards extending her territory, even to the confines of India. They go so far as to insist that the Russian movements in the Pamir country and the Russian intrigues in Afghanistan are due sorely to Gladstone's accession, though it must be plain to them that these enterprises were undertaken long before Parliament was dissolved. These jingoes are hardly doing their country a service by their course, since their arguments must necessarily tend to make the Russians believe that Gladstone will not oppose them, and thus encourage the movement of which the jingoes pretend to be afraid.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Montreal correspondent of the Mail says that the Cabinet at its meeting on Saturday decided to have the necessary improvements made at the Albert Head and Grosse Isle quarantine stations immediately. It is to be hoped this is true, but the Government's well known dilatoriness in the performance of any useful work is not calculated to foster confidence. Minister Carling, under whose jurisdiction quarantine matters come, is about as antiquated and inefficient as the two stations.

It may be of interest to note that Italy has now a stringent vaccination law, which went into effect at the beginning of this year. It requires that every child shall be vaccinated before it is six months old, and again at eight years, or at any time whenever the sanitary authority deems it necessary to promote individual and public safety. Those who are not vaccinated and revaccinated according to the requirements of the law are excluded from schools, factories, workshops, benevolent institutions, etc. Provision is also made for the cultivation and supply of both animal and human lymph.

The people of Manitoba are just at present receiving plenty of encouragement. Editor Rogers, of the St. Paul Market Review, has been making a careful survey of the Minnesota and Dakota wheat fields, and estimates that in the three States there will this year be a total crop of 130,000,000 bushels, leaving a shortage of 30,000,000 bushels. Intense heat and destructive hail storms are given as the cause of the comparatively short crop. Manitoba, on the other hand, has the promise of a very very large harvest, which is in danger now only from frost. The wheat-growers there have now an additional source of encouragement in the testimonial which their No. 1 Hard has been given by the judges of wheat at the Millers' and Bakers' Royal exhibition of London, who testify that it would be most valuable to British millers for mixing with English wheat, as when milled together they produce flour of good strength and good flavor. Fife wheat also recommends itself to the judges on account of its clean condition and uniformity. We earnestly hope that the frost will keep away and that our prairie neighbors may see the magnificent promise of their wheat fields fulfilled.

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Expected This Evening.

The party of gentlemen representing the Merritt Wrecking Company of New York, are expected to arrive in the city this evening, and will spend the week making a thorough survey, aided probably by some divers, of the San Pedro and her submarine surroundings.

To Begin at Once.

Mr. John Macpherson, to whom the contract for cutting the six foot trail from Cowichan Lake to Alberni was awarded yesterday, leaves on the steamer Maude this evening with a large force of men and a quantity of supplies for his camps. No delay will be made in starting the work.

Bound South.

The steamer Umatilla sailed from the outer wharf this morning with the following cabin passengers from Victoria for San Francisco: W. Mitchell and wife, Mrs. W. A. Franklin and daughter, Mrs. A. McDonald and child, Miss E. McKinnon, R. Milligan, Mrs. Schenck and daughter, and F. Jones. She also took 20 tons of rice.

Bright Prospects.

A gentleman interested in a number of sealing schooners said to-day that he thought a great many of the sealers would sell their skins if they were offered $15 for them. The majority, however, intended to trust to the London sales to get better prices. The present prospects seem very bright for the sealers and they expect big prices before the end of the fall.

Stung to Death.

George Belrosl on Friday tied a team of horses to a fence in Chilliwack at some little distance from W. Smith's large apiary, where there are 150 hives of bees. The bees swooped down on the horses, literally covering them, and they were so badly stung that one of them died the same evening, and it is feared that the other horse will also succumb to the fearful stinging it received.

Looks Lively Again.

The city was just as lively as ever last evening and to-day. The Islander arrived last evening with her excursionists and was joined this morning by the Queen. The members of both parties got out bright and early and visited the places of interest around the city. All of the Islanders and a large number of the Queen's passengers are still in the city and others are here waiting to go up on the steamers.

School of Art.

In the windows of Messrs. Lombard & Co., and Hibben & Co., are on exhibition some beautiful and artistic paintings which are the production of a French artist, Mons. A. F. Loemans, from Paris. These works of art, which are much admired, are for sale and we understand that Mons. Loemans will open a studio on or about the 1st of September, where he will have a class. Amateurs who desire to take advantage of this rare chance would do well to apply soon, as already many engagements have been made. Private lessons will also be given to those preferring them.

Returned From Alaska.

The favorite excursion steamer Islander, yesterday evening returned from Alaska, with a large party of tourists who were thoroughly pleased with their voyage to the northern land, and delighted with the wonderous scenes of beauty and rugged grandeur visited by them. To show their appreciation of the attention of Capt. John Irving, in command of the vessel, the passengers presented that gentleman with an address expressing their thanks for the kind treatment received at his hands and his interesting efforts to see that they enjoyed the voyage. As usual the tourists brought down numerous Indian curios as souvenirs of the trip.

Petty Thieving.

There was somewhat of a fracas at a house on an uptown street this morning, in which a Chinese vegetable peddler and a housewife who presumed too much upon John's generosity, were the principals. What she did is something that is done by many women almost every time the unfortunate celestial vendors come around, namely, pilfering from their baskets—taking 13 or 14 and paying for only a dozen. The woman in this case deliberately took a couple of large onions and a cauliflower out of the Chinaman's pannier, and when the man loudly protested and tried to take them back, she called her husband and complained that the Chinaman was trying to cheat her. The husband promptly hustled the poor man out of the yard, baskets and all, and told him to be off or it would be the worse for him.

The James Bay Bridge.

Ald. Munn has given notice that at the next meeting of the council, he will move that the city engineer be instructed to examine the James Bay bridge and report to the council, more especially in respect to its present safety, permanency and efficiency for all kinds of traffic. A civil engineer spoken to regarding James Bay bridge said the design of the bridge was excellent and it had evidently been put together very carefully, but the material was too slight to withstand much longer the constantly increasing traffic between the north and south portions of the city. He had noticed frequently when crossing the bridge a dangerous undulating motion caused by the passage of heavy loads across the centre of the spans. On being asked what he would recommend as a substitute for the present bridge he replied that either the bay should be filled up level with the outer edge of the present bridge and a solid granite and concrete way made across it, or else a sustantial stone or iron bridge should be constructed. The issue would have to be faced very soon. The present bridge he considers unsafe and not at all ornamental.

Tramway Directors' Meeting.

The directors of the tramway company will hold a meeting at 5 o'clock this evening to discuss several matters of importance.

Eastern Sugar.

One hundred and fifty packages of Novia Scotia sugar arrived in the city last evening over the N. P. R., for Messrs. Fell & Co.

Pay Your Dog Tax.

Assistant city treasurer Smith has sworn out several informations against residents of the city for harboring dogs without paying a tax. The law says that the owner of every dog should pay a dog tax, and the city officials have decided to strictly enforce the law.

Judge Sachs in Town.

Judge Morris B. Sachs, of Port Townsend, the gentleman who obtained a great deal of notoriety through his fight with the Port Townsend Leader last year, is in the city. He was charged with signing information and summonses on a faro table in a gambling hell. The legislature wanted to discharge him but he had a big "pull."

A Prominent Railway Man.

Mr. J. T. Brooks, second vice-president and general counsel of the Pennsylvania railroad, is in the city. He is accompanied by Mrs. Brooks, Misses Brooks, Master Brooks, S. B. Pope and wife, Miss Pope and Mrs. L. B. Shepherd. The party came west in Mr. Brooks' private car. They went to Alaska on the Queen, and will leave to-morrow for Vancouver, where they will again join the private car and go east over the C.P.R. Mr. Brooks is delighted with the trip and has been making the most of his time in Victoria.

Progressive Commerce.

Spot cash is the order of the day. We want money to carry on our large and increasing business. To get this money we have reduced prices for the vast stock we hold to an alarming extent. The immense reductions made would form a good capital for a small firm. Thirty to fifty per cent. discount on $150,000 worth of stock is one of the boldest things attempted yet in the province. Yet we are doing it for these reasons: We are buying enormously, paying promptly for our goods, wish to increase our connection and build up the biggest trade in B. C. Our sale commenced on Monday, and is forging ahead. Ladies, you want a bedroom, parlor, or drawing room suite, or one of our lovely sideboards, or a comfortable, artistic chair, or a bright and pretty carpet, or many things in crockery, glassware, lamps and cutlery. Sehl-Hastie-Erskine, 66 and 68 Government street, will sell them to you at far less than auction prices. *

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

The Alert Bay Canning Company having failed to fill their tins with salmon are putting up clams.

Minister Bowell and General Herbert leave Ottawa for Victoria on Saturday, with a view of looking into the question of fortifications.

The pilot boat for Capt. Christensen of Nanaimo, built he McPhee Bros. at their yard next Muirhead & Mann's factory, is planked. Good speed is being made with the work.

DAMAGING THE FUR TRADE.

Indians Afraid to Come to the Provincial Cities With Their Skins.

If the keepers of little country stores do not make a change in their present way of laying the smallpox scare before the Indians of the province the fur trade of the cities is likely to be badly crippled this fall. It is well known that some of the store keepers have been alarming the Indians with a view of keeping them away from the cities and thereby selling them provisions. This would be all right if they took their furs in exchange, but they do not do so, and it is known that British Columbia Indians have been disposing of their furs at Sound ports, steering altogether clear of the British Columbia cities. A prominent fur dealer said to-day his business had been terribly crippled on that account.

Consul Myers a few days ago received a letter from Indian Agent Lomas asking if it would be possible of safe for the Indians to go to the Washington hop fields this season. The consul answered that there was no smallpox here and that the Indians could pass through with safety. It is therefore probable that there will be no scarcity of hop-pickers this year, as the crop is not a very large one.

A CASE OF LEPROSY.

A Chinaman Named Lee Sing a Victim of the Loathsome Disease.

There is a case of the most loathsome disease, leprosy, in the city. The victim is a young Chinaman named Lee Sing, who for nearly a year has been living in a house designed as an "hospital," at the rear of an alleyway off Fisgard street. For some months the fact has been known to the Chinese, and was to-day made known to several medical men in the city. Doctors Davie and Wade, of the city, and Dr. Jones, of the navy, visited the unfortunate man and after a careful enquiry into the case pronounced it undoubtedly one of leprosy.

Sing is in a destitute condition, not having done any work since last year, when he worked at one of the canneries on the North Arm of the Fraser river. All over his face, and on several parts of his body are reddish-colored swellings, while his feet and hands are swollen and sore looking. His eyelids, and even the eyes, seem affected, and he presents altogether a pitiable picture. The poor fellow feels glad that there is a hope of his being sent to Darcy Island. Sing says he is 28 years old and has been in this country about three years. The proper authorities will no doubt have him removed to Darcy Island as soon as possible.

Pipe Smokers.

"La Cadena" and "La Flora." Insist upon having these brands. *

AFRAID OF SMALLPOX.

Skeena Indians Greatly Alarmed at the Reports From the South.

It is reported that the upper Skeena river Indians having heard of the smallpox, have determined to prevent with force if necessary the landing of all vessels from the south. They held a meeting and decided to stop the steamer from Hazelton making a landing; they will receive no mail. They are all armed and walk around Hazelton threatening death to the first white man who dares to come among them. The blame for the trouble is laid upon a travelling preacher who lives at Bulkley river, as he has made himself busy in raising similar mischief among the Indians in former years. He generally manages to escape being actually mixed up in the trouble. Strong efforts are being made to vaccinate the whole tribe.

DEATH RECORD.

Three Victoria Ladies Pass Away—One Death Caused by Vaccination.

Assistant City Surveyor Mathews was called on this morning to mourn the loss of his wife, who died after a long illness. She was 38 years of age, and leaves besides her husband four children, the youngest being six years old. The funeral will take place at half past two on Thursday from the family residence, No. 189 North Park street, and from St. John's church at three o'clock.

Adelaide, the beloved wife of Albert Maynard, died this morning, aged 34 years. She leaves a husband and several children. The funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon from the family residence, No. 100 John street.

Mrs. Jenkinson, wife of W. H. Jenkinson, jeweler, died yesterday. Death was caused by scarlet fever.

WILL LOSE NO TIME.

Mr. Moore Making Arrangements to Establish Chemical Works in this City.

"If the situation is satisfactory Victoria will have chemical works within eight weeks."

That is what Mr. Fred Moore, of the firm of Moore & Hall, said to a TIMES reporter this morning. The gentleman in question arrived from Manchester, England, last evening for the purpose of looking around the city with a view of establishing chemical works. He said the object of the firm was to manufacture sulphuric and nitric acid, and from what he had learned he thought that they would need a plant to turn out about 10 tons per week. Of course it all depends on what amount of acid is used in the Province, but he thought that with two powder works there should be enough consumed to warrant the erection of chemical works.

He will spend the present week in looking into the situation, and if everything is satisfactory he will telegraph to his partner in England to immediately purchase the necessary plant and he will superintend the erection of the factory.

Both Mr. Moore and Mr. Hall have had years' experience in the chemical works near Manchester, and as they are not afraid to do some rustling they are sure to make a success of their new venture.

A WONDERFUL SAVING.

Tons of Salmon Saved by the Cold Storage System—White Fish to be Used.

Mr. R. Cunningham, the enterprising canner of Skeena River who recently established a cold storage system at his cannery at Port Essington, arrived in the city last evening.

When asked if the system was a success Mr. Cunningham said it was even better than had been expected. He estimates that he has this year saved over 70 tons of salmon which would otherwise have been allowed to rot and then thrown overboard. Besides this the white salmon, which were formerly not used, are to be utilized hereafter.

The white salmon are salted in cold storage and are to be sent to Spanish ports where a Mr. Burgoff, who is to handle it, says he can readily dispose of it after he has extracted the salt, which he does by a process well known in Europe.

Mr. Burgoff has also purchased the 12,000 salmon frozen by Mr. Cunningham, which he intends to place on the eastern market. He will go east with the fish to introduce it to the dealers of the big eastern cities.

A number of the tourists who were north on the Islander visited the room where the salmon are frozen, and they say it looked splendid. Mr. Cunningham is enthusiastic over the new ideas he has introduced this year, and he thinks the cold storage system will make the fish industry of the Province even of more value than it now is.

The season has been an exceptionally good one for the northern canneries, and besides this the canners are being benefitted by the smallpox scare, as the Indians are afraid to come to Victoria and therefore are spending their money at home.

WILL WASH THEM OUT.

The Sewerage System to be Flushed This Evening.

The whole sewerage system will be flushed this evening with the intention of clearing away all debris, slush, mud, etc., which may be lodged in the pipes. A powerful stream will be turned on and kept flowing for an hour or two, by which time everything movable will be swept to the outlet. The system is practically completed and ready for use after being flushed. The workmen are able to work at the Clover Point outlet only six hours out of the month, owing to the tides, and space being contracted, an extra large force cannot be employed to rush the work. The outlet consists of steel pipe embedded in concrete, so that even if the pipe wears out in the course of years the concrete channel will remain imperishable as the surrounding rock. After flushing, one of the city's workmen will be sent through the sewers to make a thorough examination and report upon them to the city council. They must be in working order and free from any defect, and the city will use them for six months as a further test. If then found all correct the contractor will be paid the consideration agreed upon between him and the corporation.

EXPRESS THEIR THANKS.

The Islander's Passengers Present Captain John Irving With an Address.

As the Islander was returning from the north yesterday the passengers presented Captain Irving with the following address:

On board Steamship Islander,
Vancouver, B.C., Aug. 15, 1892.

CAPTAIN JOHN IRVING—

We, the undersigned members of Grafton's Tour of Alaska, and other passengers on board the steamship Islander, at the close of our two weeks' voyage on British Columbia and Alaska waters under your care, desire to express to you our warmest thanks for the many objects of interest which you have unfolded to our view; and we believe that you have afforded us opportunity for seeing all the grand scenery that lines the land-locked waters of the wonderful Pacific northwest archipelago. The hours spent under the towering Muir and Takio glaciers with the beautiful and seaworthy Islander so close to their fronts that we could almost touch their cold blue faces, will be something as astonishing to those who have yet to hear our recital of what we saw, as we ourselves were as we stood awed and amazed by the sublimity of the scene! We felt that you could not show us any grander sights, but when you turned your boat into Gardner's Inlet in British Columbia, with its towering mountains crowned by eternal snow, down whose sides fell innumerable crystal cascades, with beautiful fiords constantly opening up to our view, we could not but reach the conclusion that your promise to show us the most picturesque portion of the trip, had more than been fulfilled; and that the half had not been told. Tourists to Alaska who fail to see Gardner's Inlet miss the grandest scenery of the whole route.

You, sir, assisted by your officers and crew, have contributed very much to make our journey one of unalloyed pleasure. You have taken us to any place we desired to go; remaining as long a time as we wished, and have satisfied us that those who place themselves under your care will not fail to enjoy themselves on a similar excursion. In parting, we express the hope that you and your family, and the entire crew of the Islander, may live long and enjoy health and prosperity.

A. S. C. Blackall, G. B. Burnett, St. Louis; J. J. Grafton, Geo. W. Hall, Frank Sayre Osborn, C. A. Mayo, Henry C. Rew, A. Senn, Chicago; Capt. Geo. Roberts, Victoria; Lady Grey Egerton, England; E. G. W. Rietz, Chicago; and balance of party.

WHOLESALE SHOPLIFTING.

C. H. King Committed for Trial on a Charge of Larceny.

This morning Charles Hawey King, lately employed in A. Stevens' butcher shop, was arraigned before Magistrate Macrae charged with the larceny of three pairs of trousers, one overcoat, one waterproof coat, a quantity of underclothing, twenty-eight pairs of socks, ties, etc., from B. Williams & Co.'s store, 97 Johnson street.

The evidence showed that the prisoner was discharged by Mr. Stevens on the 12th inst., and the articles he had in a room in Stevens' house occupied by him were removed to the butcher shop yesterday. The prisoner came around and took away an overcoat, which he subsequently gave to the bartender at the Regent saloon to hold for him. The prisoner's late employer and his brother, noticing the quantity of new goods, became suspicious that he did not come by them honestly, and the matter was mentioned to Mr. Williams, at whose instigation King was arrested.

In court this morning Mr. Williams identified the articles produced and which were brought from King's room, as goods he had in his store and were not sold to anyone. Private marks on tickets found with the goods enabled him to identify them. The overcoat he got from the proprietor of the Regent, at whose place the prisoner left it.

Allan Stevens testified that the valise and goods produced were brought to his house by the prisoner, and were handed over to Sergeant Hawton by him.

Henry Mills, employed with Williams & Co., stated that King, who worked next door, entered the shop often when he was sweeping out in the morning and would have ample opportunity to help himself when he went out to Stevens' place for water and also went out in the back yard with sweepings. He did not sell the goods to the prisoner, and only once sold him a 25 cent collar.

Officer Kennedy arrested King at the Germania saloon. The prisoner then said he did not steal the goods, and that he could prove by the boy that he bought them. He made no statement to the court and was committed for trial at the next competent court.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

The steamer Maude will leave this evening for Barclay Sound with freight and passengers.

The smart steam launch Minnehaha is in port again. She is expected to make a few more pleasure trips down the Straits this season.

The Queen arrived from Nanaimo at 6 o'clock this morning and sailed for the Sound at 9. She calls here on her way north on Saturday.

Tug Eva, belonging to Mr. Price of Gardner's Inlet, is reported a total loss. She struck a rock and slid off again, but sank before she reached the shore.

The schooner Caroline, of Port Townsend, for sale at Spratt's wharf, has been visited by a number of seafaring people with a view to purchase. The price asked is considered very reasonable. The Caroline is a capital fishing boat of 15 tons.

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WONDERFUL, IF POSSIBLE.

Grant Brothers, of Tacoma, Say They Can Raise the San Pedro in Six Hours.

They Claim That They Control a Mysterious Force—Chemicals Used.

T. C. Manning is in San Francisco endeavoring to secure a contract for raising the steamer San Pedro, which foundered several months ago off the coast of British Columbia, says the Examiner.

This announcement would ordinarily occasion little comment. Vessels will fill and founder and wreckers will endeavor to secure contracts for raising them. But it is only a little over a hundred years since the time when, if Manning and his co-workers had made a proposition to raise a sunken ship with the forces and appliances which they propose to use they would have been prosecuted for witchcraft.

If they shall succeed in lifting the San Pedro or any other wave bedraggled wreck with the means at their hands they will be entitled to a master's degree in magic. Yet they already have shown results which completely puzzle careful investigators—men of reputation and ability. More than this, they have secured from hard-headed financiers the necessary money to patent and perfect their machinery.

IT STAGGERS BELIEF.

Scientists who have given the matter some attention are completely nonplused, and admit that no application of force of which they have any knowledge would account for the results obtained before their eyes. They say that had they not seen they would not have believed, and having seen they really know no more than they did before.

John Joseph and James Grant, of Tacoma, Washington, are the men who control the unknown force, and their apparatus for experiments are almost ludicrously simple. They are entirely confident that, given the contract, they can raise the lost San Pedro in a very short time and with the expenditure of very little money. In any event they are more than willing to try. They say they have studied and experimented for six years and have at last perfected something entirely outside the methods employed in raising sunken ships by contracting wreckers.

For the past two weeks the Grant brothers have been giving practical exhibitions at Tacoma of the work of their apparatus. They did not attract unusual attention until the process was investigated by persons of undoubted ability, who pronounced the experiments successful beyond measure, and who at the same time frankly avow their inability to discover the means by which the brothers accomplish their wonderful results. Since then the experiments have caused a great deal of comment along Puget Sound, and now maritime circles in San Francisco are becoming animated with a discussion of them.

IT BOBBED UP SERENELY.

John Grant says that six years ago he was watching the obtruding portions of a sunken steamer, which several unsuccessful attempts had been made to raise. Suddenly he saw it rise to the surface and float some distance with the tide and sink again.

He felt sure that the phenomenon must have been due to some great natural force, and this force he set about to discover. He is certain he has discovered it, and has succeeded in bringing many other people to his way of thinking.

The first experiments were carried on by means of a small model boat of tin. This weighed thirty pounds. It was loaded to its full capacity, punctured full of holes and sunk in many feet of water. A small rubber hose had been inserted prior to sinking, and through this Grant sent his lifting force. The tin boat at once rose to the surface. Then arrangements were made for work on a somewhat larger scale.

The experiments are now conducted by means of a rudely constructed boat with a hull four feet in the clear from its flat bottom to the top of its deck. The boat is twenty feet in length and five feet in width and is constructed throughout of common fir boards. It is pointed at either end and the cracks between the boards forming its sides and decks are open enough to admit a free flow of water. Only the bottom is constructed with any degree of strength. In each of its sides half way between the bottom and the deck has been cut a hole two feet square, as the brothers explain, to represent a "hole stove in the ship's bottom by a rock."

FULL FATHOMS THREE.

Inside of this rude hull sacks of gravel aggregating a weight of five tons have been placed. Surmounting the deck is a structure intended to represent the cabin of a steamer, constructed of lattice, so that it may not be said to be an air chamber. No part of the vessel is tight enough to confine either air or water. At all stages of the tide this vessel is on the gravelly bottom, sometimes beneath 20 feet of water, sometimes standing high and dry. When the tide is "in" it only rises to the surface when the Grant brothers will it.

THE MYSTERIOUS BOX.

The scene of their experiments is on the Narrows about seven miles west and south of Tacoma, at Lemon's beach. When the Grant brothers get ready to exhibit the work of their device they repair to a log raft or float anchored near the sunken vessel, with a small and curiously shaped machine which they will allow no one to examine, giving as a reason that a patent has not yet been secured upon it. This machine is not over eight inches square and ten inches long.

A long piece of ordinary garden hose is taken with them, and a diver takes down one end of the hose and inserts it in the hold of the vessel. The other end is attached to the machine.

Then the operator of the machine is concealed beneath blankets, and in five minutes the sunken vessel rises to the surface, where it floats with its deck raised an inch above the water, and is towed here and there as far as the length of the hose will permit.

After having witnessed this operation and the raising of a common deal box perforated with holes and half filled with gravel, an Examiner representative questioned the elder Grant, the discoverer of the secret process, regarding it.

BY THE USE OF CHEMICALS.

"How do you accomplish this result?" was the first direct question.

"By expelling all the water from the hold of the sunken vessel. Its natural buoyancy is thus restored and it rises to the top."

"But you raise with it an immense weight."

"Not more than the vessel would carry if water tight. I could not raise it if it were heavier. All I do is to relieve the vessel of the water's weight."

"What do you use?"

"I use chemicals—two chemicals and a device by means of which they are conveyed to the vessel's hold through the hose."

"Is it a fluid or a gaseous substance that is conveyed to the hold?"

"That is my secret. I do not propose to make any part of the secret public until I have patented my invention in all the great maritime nations. I am anxious that the world should know exactly what I do and how I accomplish it, but not until my rights are all protected."

HE COULD PART THE RED SEA.

"I will tell you this," said the inventor." I can part the water on this beach here so that you can walk down on the sand into the sea without wetting your feet. I can take a tin pail, puncture it, sink it in forty feet of water, expel all the water from it while it is yet under the water, and it will rise to the surface, and when it comes out there will not be a drop of water in it."

"Do you mean to say that you can create an air cell under the water at any depth and that the air will remain in that cell without escaping through the water?"

"I don't mean to say anything about air. I mean to say I can make a great bubble down there."

"Do you assert that with your apparatus you can create a cell entirely surrounded by water and that none of your chemicals, air, gas or whatever you call it, will escape from it?"

WANTS TO TACKLE THE ALVA.

"That is just what I mean. I have written to Mr. Vanderbilt, whose yacht was recently sunk, and have asked for a contract to raise it for him. I am going to try for a contract to raise the San Pedro, the steam collier recently sunk near Victoria. She is a 4,000 ton vessel, yet I have full confidence in my ability to raise her in six hours with only five men to assist me. The apparatus and chemicals necessary to raise the San Pedro would cost only about $6,000. The device and process is not only valuable in case of sunken, but of sinking vessels. One of my devices carried on a ship will insure its safety from sinking. The chemicals used will not injure the cargo or the health of the passengers. I have applied for patents in the United States, Great Britain and Canada, and my specifications are on file at the Patent Office now."

"If you insist on your ability to part the waters so that one may walk on the bottom people will think you insane."

"Not when I demonstrate to them that I can do it. By the use of the principle I have discovered I propose to invent an apparatus whereby one may walk upon the water with as much ease as upon the land."

BUT HE IS NOT MAD.

The natural conclusion of any one listening to such talk is that the speaker is insane, but two other men are imbued with the same ideas and the same assurance, and back of these men are hundreds of faithful believers in their process. Among the believers are two men sufficiently confident in the process and in the Grants to invest $10,000 each in securing the needed patents, in constructing the models and in experiments.

These two men assert that they have been let into the secret and are not only satisfied with the process, but surprised at its simplicity. Some of the most prominent men in Tacoma have examined the workings of the apparatus and are convinced of the efficacy of the process and the sincerity of the men.

The Grant brothers are well known to the business men of Tacoma, and were the projectors of the Puget Sound Asbestos Paint and Varnish company, a successful enterprise which they were "frozen out" of after having established it.

J. Rodney Grant, the discoverer of the process, was at one time a Texas rancher and lost $150,000 in cattle in that State.

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Jacob Ralph, one of the backers of the enterprise, said: "You think it is wonderful. You wouldn't if you knew what it was and how it was worked; it is simple, and a great deal less mysterious than the electricity that runs cars and all manner of machinery. I am putting $10,000 into it, and I have been shown every detail. According to our contract I pay out the money only as it is needed to procure patents and to construct the machinery. Mr. Tweedden, of the Washington Bridge Company, and a friend of his have an eighth interest in it at $10,000; I have an eighth interest at $10,000; the Grant brothers own the remainder. According to our partnership agreement no one can sell his interest without the consent of all the others. There is not one dollar's worth of interest in it for sale to any one at any price. I would not sell my interest alone to-morrow for $1,000,000."

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He Is Making Useful the Deserted Farms of New England.

Maine farms are now a center of attraction, for the twofold reason of their desirability as a place for a summer's outing and of the agitation concerning agriculture as a business. Whether the motive be observation or pleasure, the tide of travel is countryward. Contrary to generally prevailing notions, the more remote, obscure and quiet the district, the more it suits a certain and better class of summer visitors. The fisherman, instead of the lakes, tries the brooks of his fathers; the hunter wanders over the paths he trod in boyhood and the college professor or the clergyman studies nature in the country fields rather than the forest depths.

This blending of city and country is helpful to both, and perhaps in time may bring about a solution of rural troubles, which all the wisdom of legislators and writers so far had failed to do. Farmers in New England, I think, have failed to properly understand the functions of their business, and have considered their particular stretch of territory as valuable only when certain crops could be raised with profit. The great crops for national consumption are now produced on the almost illimitable prairies with a thrift, a business enterprise, a fierceness, almost, and certainly a success that has caused the eastern farmer to thrust his hands into his pockets with despair, while his fields fill with friendly pines and his barns are empty.

It is at this stage that the summer boarder steps in, a bright bird of passage, and brings to his notice that there are products on his farm that he has never cultivated. He sees the transformation in the pale cheek of the city child which a few weeks' sunshine and pure air can give, and now that his jealousy of the well dressed stranger has ceased, for almost the first time in his hard scramble for a living he looks up to notice an unbounded sky and around a diversity of landscape.

Surely this is no place for a matter-of-fact business, but a vast pleasure ground for rest and recreation, and now he understands in part the wise order of the Creator and the fierce struggle with competition he has been through. He is learning a principle.

Sky and landscape have a commercial value. Already the problem of the deserted farms is being solved. The dwellers of cities are buying them, not as battling grounds with the agricultural west, but as pleasure grounds. But the farmer, the bone and sinew of the land, whose puritanic sternness and simplicity have for two centuries impressed us and been typified by the acres of land reclaimed from nature and inclosed with miles of stone wall—what is to become of him? Honesty, humility, simplicity, contentment and thrift (a word which in his vocabulary is synonymous with hard work) were his principles. Laughter to him was almost a sin and Artemus Ward a riddle. How a man with such surroundings could "goak" may well be a riddle to any one.

He was not an exotic, and this fact cannot fail to be important as a basis for future judgment. The future rural inhabitant of Maine may smile and enjoy his environment, even though his paternal fields are covered with forests—a survival, perhaps, of the fittest.

The attraction of factory life, where a man can earn more in six months without expenditure of capital than in twelve of farm work, to say nothing of the loss of interest on capital, with pleasure and intellectual life not attainable in the country, is decimating the population of Maine farms; but those who have tasted country sweets can never entirely cease from longing to return, at least for the summer, and their cottages, even of democratic simplicity, are dotting hillside and valley with increasing numbers. Certainly this healthy summer siesta, this lifegiving vacation on hill and in valley, is no mean product of the Maine farm.—Maine Cor. Boston Commonwealth.

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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

CITY OF VICTORIA.

COURT OF REVISION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing all complaints against the assessment of 1892 as made by the Assessor of the City of Victoria, will be held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, Victoria, on Monday, the 22nd day of August, A.D. 1892, at 10 o'clock a.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

July 21, 1892. (1d)

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THE MAN ABOUT TOWN.

Differences of opinion have always and will always exist. Thought is free, and in our own favored empire civil and religious liberty is assured. (I write this last sentence with a mental reservation, as visions of the "Davie Brothers" come fitfully before my mental vision.) Freedom always produces variety. The human mind is so complex in constitution that it is most natural to suppose that there will arise differences of opinion on every subject under the sun. If liberty is conceded as a right, then it is most likely to result in diverse views upon politics, education, religion, science, social and domestic affairs.

I visited on Sunday the sole representative of the Reformed Episcopal body known as the "Church of our Lord," on Humbolt street. To any person unacquainted with the tenets, doctrines and teachings held by this denomination, it would be supposed that the Church of Our Lord held precisely the same views and practised the same religious rites as the English church—the denomination which in the Mother Country is described as the Church of England, as by law established. But a careful examination into the constitution and practices of the Reformed Episcopal body reveals the line of demarcation between it and the church from which it sprang. Both bodies, of course, in this country are to be ranked as free churches. Neither by enactment nor proclamation, by custom nor usage, has any religious denomination in the province of British Columbia any privilege or power that other denominations do not enjoy. Therefore in the struggle for supremacy, the competition for pre-eminence, the "survival of the fittest" seems the natural sequence of the conflict.

The Reformed Episcopal body is mainly founded upon a difference in ritual between it and the English Church. Now, as both parties claim that ritual is the interpretation of doctrine, rites, of ethics, it also follows that the Reformed Episcopal claim that its teachings and principles are therefore widely different from the parent stock. This, however, again needs an explanation. The Act of Uniformity of King Charles the II., of sainted memory, which act made nothing uniform, and as such and similar acts never will, was succeeded by various attempts by Parliament and Anglican divines to establish some fixed usages in discipline and doctrine in the church. But as in each Parliament or council of divines there were those who had leanings towards the more ancient Catholic Church, and those also who held with the Evangelical and Puritanic bodies, the attempts made only resulted in producing a prayer-book, canons and articles that each party could interpret as they chose. So when the Tractarian movement, headed by Dr. Pusey, 60 years ago, began boldly to attack the apparently impregnable strongholds of Evangelicalism, it was soon apparent that the Puseyites, or the Ritualists, had law and right with them as much as the other side. Hence the rapid growth and dominance of the modern High Church party.

The organization of the Church of Our Lord as a Reformed Episcopal church was doubtless chiefly the result of internal dissensions based upon doctrinal difference, rather than a desire to create a rival religious denomination in Victoria. The history of the church, briefly, is this:

In 1855 Rev. E. Cridge was appointed district missionery under the Hudson's Bay Company, and commenced gathering a congregation in the city. In 1858, the year when large numbers of men were attracted to British Columbia through the discovery of gold on the Fraser, Miss Burdett Coutts sent—because of an appeal made—a goodly sum of money to found a bishopric and a permanent organization of the English Church. Bishop Hills was consecrated, and took charge in 1860, with Rev. E. Cridge as rector of the growing congregation, now worshipping in the cathedral on Burdette avenue. Upon the consecration of the cathedral in 1865, a clergyman named Archdeacon Reece preached a sermon advocating ritualistic practices, which was at once repudiated by Rev. E. Cridge as the rector in charge. This commenced a series of troubles, finally culminating in the withdrawal of the rector with the churchwardens, the whole of the Sunday school and the major part of the congregation in 1869. The seceders first worshipped in the building now known as the First Presbyterian Church, until, in 1872, the present church on Humboldt street was erected at a cost of $12,000, a large sum in those days, the land being generously donated by the Governor of the Province, Sir James Douglas. Although at first the seceders had no intention to form a separate denomination, and doubtless many had grave misgivings as to the wisdom and polity of such a course, yet the fear that ritualism would grow in the church of their fathers made them take the final step, and the consecration of the new church as a Reformed Episcopal church, with the Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge as rector, completed the separation. Henceforth the church was to be the exponent of the evangelical thought of English Churchism in the province, and as was fondly hoped and believed the home of all emigrants with similar views. Whether the actual result has been to justify the hopes of the early founders the present writer can scarcely say. Doubtless there were many sympathizers with Bishop Cridge from the other churches. Presbyterians, Methodists and Baptists swelled the numbers of the early Reformed Episcopals, who now have found more congenial homes in the churches built for their own methods of worship. "The zeal of many waxed cool," and the later residents of Victoria, and the generation that have practically succeeded the seceders of 1872, view with different eyes the acts of their predecessors. Consequently the congregation has somewhat lessened. The influential men of the past, the old-timers that laid the foundations of the city of Victoria, are still to be found amongst the congregation. But as Sunday morning I observed the many empty pews of the fine and commodious church, I could not help reflecting how lightly our children may hold the principles for which their fathers fought and suffered. "Another king arose, which knew not Joseph."

The building, at the time of its erection probably the finest in the city, needs a little renovation. The painters, decorators and upholsterers would find a useful sphere for their operations. Waste paper does not command a high price in this city, or I would recommend the churchwardens to sell all the torn hymn books and tattered prayer books, and with the proceeds purchase new ones, assured as I should be of a wholesome change in the appearance of the pews. The service was of a simple yet most impressive character, officiated over by Bishop Cridge; the difference between the prayerbook of the Reformed Episcopal and the English Church being but slight, the controversial passages alone being omitted or amended. The singing was exceedingly beautiful, the clear, fresh voices of the choir filling easily the spacious church. The sermon, an exposition of Matthew 18-3, showed that our Lord rebuked the emulation, jealousy and blind zeal of his disciples and exhorted them to a spirit of humility and a life of lowly service. Leaving the church and thinking of the history of Bishop Cridge and his work, I could not help avowing admiration for the man, who leaving the church of his fathers and the religious home of his childhood, voluntarily assumed the cares and responsibilities of a new interest and denomination, became isolated from his former colleagues, and who, also, in the evening of his life is to be found zealously promoting the cause and work which he of all others was the most instrumental in promoting. QUIZ.

ORIGIN OF EPICUREAN.

The Epicureans were a famous sect founded by Epicurus; their principal tenet, that the happiness of mankind consisted in pleasure, not such as arises from sensual gratification, but from the enjoyment of the mind and the sweets of virtue.

To day, the Epicurean is known as a being who indulges in feast, riot and sensual enjoyments; he is also known to be a lover of luxuries pertaining to the table.

The Epicurean of the present day often suffers from ills brought on by his mode of living. His wealth and gold enable him to fare sumptuously; but often—very often—his stomach suffers untold agony. We often find the Epicurean in the hands of the physician; his digestive organism becomes sadly deranged, and it requires repairs quite as much as does the overworked and worn out parts of any mechanical machine.

The suffering Epicurean is found in Canada as well as in older lands. Here he has fortunately found a remedy for his overtaxed and overworked stomach, in Paine's Celery Compound. This great national remedy removes his dyspepsia and indigestion, tones the stomach and every organ of digestion, and enables him to enjoy life if he is willing to observe nature's laws. No preparation known to mankind has accomplished a grander work for the man or woman whose digestion has become deranged and disordered. Paine's Celery Compound is now regularly kept in every Epicurean's house, and is the only trusted remedy when digestion fails and other troubles arise.

THE NOXIOUS WEEDS BY-LAW

TO THE EDITOR:—Over in the yard surrounding the Kingston street fire hall there is a thistle growing which might serve as a prize specimen. Its height is considerably over six feet, and its other proportions are in symmetrical accordance with its elevation. The bud and flowers on it are legion, and just ready to to give forth millions of seeds for the propagation of the noble thistle breed. As this great weed grows upon municipal property and is about as bad a case of contravention of the thistle and noxious weeds by-law as there is existing in the city, I would suggest that those who have been mulcted by the city for allowing little farthing thistles, hardly noticeable even with a microscope, to grow on their land, either get out an injunction to restrain the city government from attempting to pick the mote out of the citizens' eyes before it has cast forth the beam which is in its own eye, or enter suit against the city council for violation of its own by-laws. This would make a very nice illustration, considering the prickly subject, of the ancient pastime in the kingdom to which the thistle owes it great prominence, of "you scratch my back and I'll scratch yours," only accepted in a minatory sense, instead of as a plea.

Yours truly, JOHN SMITH.

"I would like to sound the praise of Hood's Sarsaparilla over the entire universe," writes Mrs. Longenecker of Union Deposit, Penn.

Blue willow china, crown Derby tableware, wedgewood china, etc., at Weiler Bros. *

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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CIGARETTES

Are Sold on their Merits.

Everybody knows they

Are the Best.

Everybody Smokes Them.

They Have no Rivals.

TO DRY GOODS MERCHANTS AND THE PUBLIC GENERALLY:

James Allison, formerly proprietor of the Caledonian Dye House, has reopened at 116 Yates St., under the name of the Paisley Dye Works, and will be glad of the patronage of his old customers. He is now in a position to take in Piece Goods and all kinds of Fancy Work. All work guaranteed. jy16-1m

AUCTION SALES.

NO SMALLPOX!

In this Furniture, Received Direct from the East,

—TO BE SOLD AT—

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H. CUTHBERT & COMPANY,

At the Old Methodist Schoolroom, Broad Street, on

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The Largest Carload of Furniture that Ever Came Into British Columbia, Contains:

46 BED SETS in Oak, Ash, Maple and other woods with handsomely carved decorations.

10 PARLOR SETS IN WALNUT and upholstered in Brocade and Plush.

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Large Assortment of Useful Furniture

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This is positively the last carload this year and must be sold. Those about to furnish will do well to wait for this sale before purchasing elsewhere.

On view all Tuesday and Wednesday previous to sale.

HERBERT CUTHBERT, Auctioneer.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED dry goods firms have agreed to close their places of business on Saturday afternoons from 1 to 6:30 p.m. during June, July and August:

FIRMS.	PROPRIETORS.
Spencer's Arcade	D. Spencer
White House	H. Young & Co.
Westside	J. Hutcheson & Co.
Albion House	F. White
Victoria House	Shears and Page
City House	Wm. Wilson & Co.
Stanley House	W. S. Hampson & Co.
Lansdowne House	J. M. Partridge
Manchester House	Thos. Haughton & Co.
Vancouver House	Wm. Craft
Argyle House	John Horner & Co.
Somerset House	H. Bickford
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ma26-tf FRANK CAMPBELL.

FREE VACCINATION.

Persons wishing to be vaccinated may have it performed free of charge by calling upon Dr. Powell, 89 Fort street, or Dr. Milne, 36 Douglas street, between the hours of 10 a.m. to 12 m. and 5 to 6 p.m.

ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.

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COAL

The New Vancouver Coal Mining & Land Co., L'd.

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THE "SOUTH FIELD" COAL is now used by all the Leading Steamship Lines on the Pacific.

THE "NEW WELLINGTON" COAL, which was introduced early in the present year, has already become a favorite fuel for domestic purposes. It is a clean, hard coal, makes a bright and cheerful fire, and its lasting qualities make it the most economical fuel in the market.

The several Mines of the Company are connected with their Wharves at Nanaimo and Departure Bay where ships of the largest tonnage are loaded at all states of the tide. Special dispatch is given to Mail and Ocean steamers.

SAMUEL M. ROBINS, Superintendent.

Dec. 30.

VACCINATION

In order that vaccination may be carried out with dispatch, the medical men of the city have arranged with me to vaccinate all those who are unable to pay free of charge, and that those who can afford to pay, a charge of $1 will be made.

The public vaccinators of the city will vaccinate free all those who are in need of vaccinating.

A certificate of vaccination will be given in every case of where the vaccination has been successful.

G. L. MILNE, M.D., Health Officer.

NOTICE.

All persons leaving the city by train or boat will have to produce a certificate of vaccination, for examination by Dr. Watt, Medical Inspector, or show the marks of recent vaccination, otherwise they will have to submit to vaccination before leaving or they will be treated as suspects.

J. C. DAVIE, M.D., Provincial Health Officer.

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NOTICE.

The Corporation of the City of Victoria having adopted free vaccination, within the city, it becomes unnecessay for the Provincial Government to further assume the expense of vaccination. The Provincial notice of free vaccination is therefore cancelled. J. C. DAVIE, M.D., Provincial Health Officer.

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Dr. POWELL

Has taken rooms in the building occupied by Dr. Duncan, No. 89 Fort street, where he may be consulted daily from 9:30 a.m. 12 m. jy18

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is my intention to apply to the Licensing Board at its next sitting for a transfer to James Rollin of the license held by me for the sale of wines and other fermented and intoxicating liquors upon the premises known as the White Horse, on Humboldt street, in the city of Victoria.

aug13-1m JOHN WALSH.

To Morris Moss, of Victoria, Merchant.

TAKE NOTICE that on the 15th day of August, 1892, an action was commenced against Charles Spring, of the city of Victoria, and you, in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, wherein the Ames Holden Company, Limited, and A. C. Flumerfelt are Plaintiffs, and Charles Spring and you, the said Morris Moss, are Defendants, to recover the sum of $169, being the amount due from you to the Plaintiffs on two promissory notes, both dated the 16th day of April, 1892, together with interest thereon and protest fees. And further take notice that by an order dated the 15th day of August, 1892, made in the said action by the Honorable Henry Pering Pellew Crease, a Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, it was ordered that service of a copy of the said order and a copy of the writ of summons in this action upon your wife, or if your said wife could not be found in the city of Victoria, by inserting an advertisement of the commencement of this action and a notice of the said order in the Daily TIMES newspaper three times from the date of the said order, such advertisement to contain a notice that you, the said Morris Moss, are required to appear to the said writ of summons within eight days from the date of such service on your wife, or from the date of such last insertion in the said newspaper, otherwise the said action should proceed against you, should be good and effective service of the said writ of summons upon you.

You are therefore required to appear to the said writ of summons within eight days from the date of such service on your wife, or from the date of such last insertion in the said newspaper, by entering an appearance, either personally or by solicitor, at the office of the Registrar of the Court at Victoria, otherwise the Plaintiffs will proceed with the said action against you and judgment may be given in your absence.

Dated the 15th day of August, 1892.

D. M. EBERTS, (of the firm of Eberts & Taylor), 30 Langley street, Victoria, Plaintiff's Solicitor.

au15-3t

LEGAL NOTICES.

To Morris Moss, of Victoria, Merchant.

TAKE NOTICE that on the 12th day of August, 1892, a summons was issued against you in the County Court of Victoria holden at Victoria, in an action wherein the Bank of British North America of Victoria, British Columbia, are plaintiffs, and you the said Morris Moss are defendant, to recover the sum of $423.50 and interest, and further take notice that by an order dated the 13th day of August, 1892, made by the Honorable Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, Kt., Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, sitting as a County Court Judge, it was ordered that the plaintiffs should be at liberty to deliver the said summons on plaint, together with a copy of the plaint itself and endorsements thereon and a copy of the said order at your residence, in North Park street, Victoria, to be delivered to your wife if she could be found, otherwise to be delivered to any person on the premises apparently above the age of sixteen years, and if no person should be found with in the said dwelling, then the said summons and copy of plaint of the said order might be stuck up on the front door thereof, and it was also ordered that the plaintiffs should be at liberty to publish an advertisement giving notice of the said action and of the said order in the Victoria Daily TIMES three times, both notices as well that to be delivered at the said house as also the said advertisements, to contain an express warning, (and you are hereby warned accordingly) that on the eighth day after such delivery and such third advertisement whichever shall last happen, you are to be deemed to have been personally served with the said summons, and that the plaintiffs should be at liberty to proceed as if you had been so personally served on such eighth day.

Dated the 13th day of August, 1892.

D. M. EBERTS, (of the firm of Eberts & Taylor) 30 Langley Street, Victoria, Plaintiffs' Solicitor.

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To Morris Moss of Victoria, Merchant:

TAKE NOTICE that on the 8th day of August, 1892, an action was commenced against you in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, wherein Donald Urquhart is Plaintiff, and you, the said Morris Moss are Defendant, to recover the sum of $1895.83 and interest. And further take notice that by an order dated the 13th day of August, 1892, made in the said action by the Honorable Henry Pering Pellew Crease, a judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, it was ordered that service of a copy of the said order and a copy of the writ of summons in this action upon your wife, or if she could not be found in the city of Victoria, by inserting an advertisement of the commencement of this action and a notice of the said order in the Victoria Daily Evening TIMES newspaper three times during one week from the date of the said order, and that you are required to appear to the said writ of summons within eight days from the date of such service on your wife, or from the date of such last insertion in the said newspaper, otherwise that the said action will proceed against you, should be good and effective service of the said writ of summons.

You are therefore required to appear to the said writ of summons within eight days from the date of such service on your wife, or from the date of such last insertion in the said newspaper, by entering an appearance either personally or by solicitor at the office of the Registrar of the Court at Victoria, otherwise the said action will proceed against you.

Dated the 13th day of August, 1892.

D. M. EBERTS, (of the firm of Eberts & Taylor), 30 Langley street, Victoria, Plaintiff's Solicitor.

NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS against the bark Martha Fisher must be sent in before the 18th inst.

au12-td R. P. RITHET & CO., Ltd.

British Columbia Milling & Mining Co.

(LIMITED.)

ASSESSMENT NO. 23.

Notice is hereby given that an assessment of one cent per share has been levied upon the members of the above company, payable at the Company's office, No. 48 Langley street, Victoria, B.C., on or before the 1st of October, 1892, from and after which date all shares on which said call shall then remain unpaid shall be deemed delinquent, to be sold according to law.

Victoria, 11th August, 1892.

By order of the Board of Directors,

GEO. A. SARGISON, Secretary.

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of Alfred V. Stronach, deceased, late of Victoria, are hereby requested to present the same, duly attested, within one month. Persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and those having any personal effects belonging to the estate will please deliver the same to

A. B. STRONACH, Administrator.

Victoria, B.C., Aug. 11th, 1892. au11-1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 30 days after date application will be made by the Brackman & Ker Milling Co., Limited, to the Governor in Council and to the Minister of Public Works for permission to construct a wharf situated on section XXX, Shoal Point, Victoria City, fronting on Victoria harbor. Plans of the situation of the proposed wharf have been deposited with the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, and at the Registry Office, Victoria.

Dated this 8th day of August, 1892.

D. R. KER, Manager.

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Estate of William Hall Paine, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Supreme Court of British Columbia has granted probate of the will of William Hall Paine, deceased, to John Graham Cox, one of executors therein the named, power being reserved of making the like grant to William Purdy Lindley, the other executor mentioned in the said will.

All persons indebted to or having claims against the estate, or who have any of the effects of the deceased, are notified to forthwith make payment or delivery as the case may be, to John Graham Cox of Wharf street, Victoria, B.C.

Dated the 5th day of August, 1892.

S. PERRY MILLS, 46 Langley street, Victoria, Solicitor for the Executor.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Corporation of the City of Victoria will not be responsible for any liability in connection with "The Board of Health," which has not been authorized by the Chairman of the Finance Committee, Alderman John B. Lovell.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Clerk Municipal Council.

July 30, 1892. aug1

To the Board of Licensing Commissioners:

I THE UNDERSIGNED CARLO BOSSI, OF the Osborne House, Pandora street, in the city of Victoria, hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners to be held on Wednesday, the 14th day of September next, for a license to sell wines, spirits, beer and other fermented and intoxicating liquors by retail in a certain building used or intended to be used for an hotel, and containing upwards of 30 rooms, and which said building is known as "The Osborne House," and is situate and and built on Lot 149 in the city of Victoria, at the corner of Pandora and Blanchard streets in the said city of Victoria.

Dated this 2nd day of August, 1892.

au3-td CARLO ROSSI.

NOTICE.

In the matter of William Robie Brown, Deceased

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of the above-named deceased are hereby requested to furnish particulars thereof to the undersigned forthwith; and all persons indebted to the said deceased are hereby requested to pay such indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned.

Dated this 28th day of July, 1892.

YATES, JAY & RUSSELL, 22 Bastion street, Solicitors for the Executors.

jy28-1m

NOT RESPONSIBLE.

Bark Martha Fisher, from Liverpool.

NEITHER CAPTAIN W. MEADOWCROFT nor the undersigned will be responsible for the debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

R. P. RITHET & CO., Ltd., Agents.

jy27-1m

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

British Ship

"BEN NEVIS"

From Glasgow. J. W. GLIDDELL, Master.

THIS VESSEL will commence discharging cargo at the outer wharf to-morrow morning, 25th instant. Consignees are requested to pay freight and charges and take delivery of same. All goods left on the wharf after 5 p.m. each day will be stored at consignees' risk and expense.

ROBT. WARD & CO., LIMITED, Agents.

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ESTATE OF M. W. WAITT

(DECEASED.)

ALL claims against the late firm of M. W. Waitt & Co. must be sent to the undersigned, duly certified, on or before the 1st day of September, 1892, and all persons indebted to the above late firm, must pay their accounts by that date, otherwise they will be placed in the hands of a lawyer for collection.

From this date, until further notice, no credit will be given at the Book and Music Stores of the late firm, except to firms of good standing. All transactions to be strictly cash.

H. KENT, Executor.

jy23-td

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned has been dissolved this day by mutual consent, Mr. Richards retiring. The business will be carried on at the old address at Broad street and at the Market, by Messrs. H. Cuthbert & Co., who will receive all assets and discharge all liabilities of the late firm of Richards & Cuthbert.

F. G. RICHARDS, Jr. HERBERT CUTHBERT.

Witness: J. St. Clair Blackett.

Victoria, July 15th, 1892. jy19-tf

Estate of Ira Wilson, Deceased.

All claims against the above estate are to be handed in to the executors, Messrs. George Deans and William Whittaker, who will collect all outstanding debts owing to the estate, which must be settled forthwith. All accounts must be certified and handed in to the undersigned under cover to the above named executors.

JOHN J. AUSTIN, 63 Government Street, Victoria.

Victoria, B. C., June 2, 1892. ju7-tf

TAKE NOTICE that we, George Shea and James McLeod shall apply to the Licensing Court to be held in and for the city of Victoria on the second Wednesday in the month of September, 1892, for a transfer of the retail liquor license now held by us at the premises known as the American Hotel, Yates street, in the city of Victoria, situated upon portion of Victoria City Lot No. 196, to William Shewan and Robert Menaugh, both of Yates street in the city of Victoria, for the sale of malt and spirituous liquors by retail at the said premises hereinbefore mentioned.

Dated the 3rd day of August, 1892.

GEO. SHEA, JAMES McLEOD.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the next regular sitting of the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Victoria, we shall apply for a hotelkeeper's license for the premises situated on part of Lot E 162, in the City of Victoria, known as the New England Hotel, Government street, in the said City of Victoria.

Dated 8th August, 1892.

M. YOUNG, LOUIS YOUNG.

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TO DEPOSITORS

The British Columbia Land & Investment Agency, Ld.

(SUCCESSORS TO ALLSOP & MASON.)

In view of the low rate of interest given by the Dominion Savings Bank Department, and the restrictions imposed as to the amount to be deposited, this Company is now prepared to receive money on deposit, in large or small amounts, at interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and on favorable terms as to notice, etc.

The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.

Dec. 30.

FOR THEIR FALL REGATTA.

The Managing Committee of the James Bay Athletic Club Meets Last Evening.

Winnipeg's Offer For a Lacrosse Tournament Considered by the Executive.

THE OAR.

COMPLETING THE ARRANGEMENTS.

A meeting of the managing committee of the James Bay Athletic Association was held last evening for the purpose of completing the arrangements for the regatta on Saturday. The entries for the regatta will close to-morrow evening, and all names of intending competitors should be in the secretary's hands before that time. Dr. Nunn, of Portland, who accompanied the representative crew of that city to the Vancouver regatta the other day, and pulled stroke in the boat, has agreed to act as referee on Saturday. The judges, starter, time-keeper, etc., will be chosen before the day of the races. The course, as stated in yesterday's TIMES, will be from a point in the upper harbor near the match factory, straight away to the boathouse, the strokes to toss for choice of course, inside or outside span of bridge. The finish will be in front of the boathouse. It has not been decided yet whether the start will be by mutual consent or by shot. The trophies offered in the various events are very handsome, and well worth a stout struggle, but there is still room on the trophy stand if any friends of the club desire to show their interest in the manliest of all sports.

GAUDAUR AND STEPHENSON.

Gaudaur won an easy victory at Orillia over Stephenson, the Australian sculler. At the finish he had 20 lengths to the good, which he could have increased if he had chosen, his time being 20 min. 3 sec. The race was three miles, with a turn, and the stakes $500 a side.

RATHER STAGGERED THE COACH.

A most amusing contretemps occurred the other evening when one of the senior crews was out for practice up the Arm. They had engaged the services of a "coach," and he, according to schedule, met the crew in the upper harbor in a light racing skiff, and pulled along with them a short way. The bow-oar of the crew is far-sighted and failed to recognize the "coach" in the oarsman a short distance off. "Don't look at your oar, bow," came the gruff voice of the coach across the stormy water. Again he repeated the order in sterner tones, "Don't look at your oar, bow." The bow is not a man to be "bluffed" by anybody, and thinking it some extremely cheeky stranger, retorted, "Go to the d——l, will you?" Then the rest of the crew explained his awful mistake, and due apology was tendered the injured "coach," who was rather laid on his beam ends by the abrupt invitation to join his satanic majesty. The bow man laughingly remarked after the pull that it was somewhat incongruous to engage a "coach" to give one "pointers," and then swear at him when he tried to give the said "pointers."

EXTREMELY HARD LUCK.

By order of his physician, Mr. D. Sullivan, the well known stroke of the champion four-oared crew of B. C. for '91, will not row on Saturday, owing to a bad touch of bronchitis. Jackson, another of last year's champions, is stroking in Sullivan's place.

WILL ROW RIGHT ALONG.

Several of the four oared crews intend to keep together after the regatta and take a constitutional spin once or twice a week. There is practically no end to the rowing season in Victoria; it lasts all the year round, there being a few days in midwinter when it would require somewhat more than Spartan fortitude to brave the eager air. It is certain that training for the 24th of May regatta will begin much earlier next year than ever before. There are too many good crews springing up on Burrard Inlet and the Fraser to permit the championship to be trifled with.

YACHTING.

THE LUGGER WON EASILY.

There was a spanking breeze on the straits last evening, which many of the city yachtmen took advantage of to enjoy a spin out to sea. A well-contested race between a lugger and a sloop, both under full sail, around the San Pedro and back to the harbor mouth, provided good sport for the large number of promenaders on Dallas Road. The lugger's steady sailing, standing well up to the breeze, assisted her materially in distancing the sloop, which was somewhat timorously handled, the man at the tiller evidently thinking two points from the wind's eye about as safe a place as he could find. One is much more likely to cut himself shaving with a dull razor than a keen one, and in the same way a timid man at the wheel is much more liable to send the ship's company to Davy Jones' locker than a bold sailor. The lugger passed in at the outer wharf two minutes ahead of her opponent. This course, from the harbor around the San Pedro and return, seems to be a favorite one with the yachtsmen, and makes a very good short test race.

GREENHORNS ON BOARD.

Two men in a boat, which was making good time along the shoal water just off Dallas road last night, had a narrow escape from getting their craft smashed to pieces and perhaps losing their lives, by the foolhardiness of their steersman. For some reason he headed the boat straight for the rocks near the Dallas Hotel, although the sea was raging and boiling upon them. The men did not take the sail down and the boat turned broadside on the rocks, receiving a hearty punching before the landsmen aboard could pole her off. The incident was witnessed by large numbers of people, who found it hard to account for the man's folly in running his boat into such a place.

LACROSSE.

The proposition of the Winnipeg street railway company to hold a Dominion lacrosse tournament at Winnipeg this fall, at which a representative team from the Vancouver, Westminster and Victoria clubs is invited to participate, has been referred to the executive officers of the B. C. Association who will decide what action is to be taken in the matter. There are many who have witnessed the games in the provincial cities this year, who are confident a team could be picked from the three clubs, which with a little practice together, would be able to give any of the eastern teams a hard tussle.

A MATCH FOR SATURDAY.

It is almost a certainty that the second teams of Vancouver and the local club will cross sticks at the Caledonia Park on Saturday afternoon. The Vancouvers have a second twelve who are not far behind their seniors and if the Victoria boys hope to win a victory they will have to play a lively game. They have the material, but it requires shaping, and during the rest of the week they will practice nightly to get into form.

THE RIFLE

The B. C. Rifle Association have been unable to make favorable arrangements with the C.P.R. for the transportation of the rifle team to Ottawa. The company refused to make any special rate for the team.

WHERE ARE THE POLICE?

TO THE EDITOR,—Last night about 12 o'clock an incident occurred on View street which loudly called for police interference, but, as it not infrequently happens in this city, at times when their services are mostly needed, and in quarters where their presence would seem to be mostly required, the police are never to be found. The incident referred to is one in which two young men in a semi-drunken condition called at the doors of several respectable houses, supposing them to be brothels, and demanded admittance. One of the houses they called at is occupied by a young married woman, whose husband is away on one of the sealing schooners, and being alone with an infant child in her arms, she naturally became very much alarmed at the conduct of the men, who insisted on being admitted into the house, and threatened to kick the door in, notwithstanding the woman's protests that they had come to the wrong house and her orders to them to go away. Calling for aid, her cries attracted the attention of a passer-by on the opposite side of the street, and the latter seeing her plight went to search for a policeman, but without success. On being remonstrated with the men declared they were seeking a certain house and were under the impression they had "struck the right one." It is obvious from this incident (which can be vouched for by the woman herself if the police will call at 79 View street), that there is need of something being done to prevent a recurrence of similar scenes.

EYE WITNESS.

"LETTING IT RIP."

TO THE EDITOR:—The Colonist's report makes Dr. Davie say to the mayor and council at Vancouver: "In Victoria the policy of letting it rip had been adopted, and so the Provincial Government had been compelled to step in." Now, sir, when Dr. Davie said that, he was telling a great, big no-such-thing. The only case of letting it rip, was on the 29th May, when Dr. Davie and the managers of the Jubilee Hospital sent back on the city the first case of smallpox, but in that case the city health officer did not let it rip, but attended to it with all due precautions, as well as a few other cases that followed in the first days of June, all of which were so thoroughly attended to that before the middle of June there was not a single case of smallpox to be found. It appeared to be thoroughly stamped out, without any aid from Dr. Davie or the Jubilee Hospital, who most indignantly and persistently objected to have any smallpox at or near them. And when the city was in great straits to locate a place for smallpox quarantine no help came from them. When the disease again broke out in the city in July, the city board of health did not neglect it, but every case was attended to as soon as found or reported. And most urgent efforts were made to locate a quarantine hospital, but violent opposition was met in every direction. The Songish reserve, which had always been used by the city for such purposes before, was applied for, and so surely did the city think that the request would be granted, that they commenced preparing an old house there, and spent over $400 before the efforts of Col. Prior and other officials (who showed remarkable zeal to defeat the city on that occasion) obtained an injunction from Ottawa, and not till the Mayor had got a building up in Ross Bay, in spite of violent opposition, and the Jubilee Hospital began to realize that they were beginning to lose reputation by their apparent indifference, did they make a virtue of necessity, and propose to do something to assist in crushing out the disease. And not till the city had got over the difficulty of locating a quarantine station, and were in a fair way to successfully beat out the smallpox in the city, did the political interference take place, to give Dr. Davie and his minions power of interference, whose excessive zeal to show off their vigorous actions, without either mercy or discretion, has caused so much suffering. PIONEER.

Skilful Driving.

Driving in the crowded thoroughfares of London is always a source of wonderment and admiration to the uninitiated; but it is of course a question of practice and the confidence that use begets. Writing on the subject of "Driving Competitions," The Field notes that a very hard turn out or into "the Wyle Cup" in Shrewsbury, was always a difficulty with a new coachman, while by the regular men it was easily performed as a test. The famous sporting authority, Nimrod, tells us that perhaps one of the finest specimens of good coachmanship was performed by Sir Felix Agar. He made a bet, which he won, that he would drive his own four horses up Grosvenor-place, down the passage into Tattersall's yard—the famous firm had not migrated to Albert gate—around the pillar which stood in the centre of it, and back again into Grosvenor-place, without either of his horses going at a slower pace than a trot—a great trial surely. About the same time some other coachman, for a bet, drove into a shop in Finsbury-square and out again, while in more recent times still, an adventurous coachman declared that he would tie a bundle of hay to the door of a break and let his leaders nibble at it while he drove in a circle. At the driving competition at Barn Elms the other day four pair of posts with ginger beer bottles on the top and two planks were set up at fixed distances apart, while in between were two uprights and cross-bar, all of which required the most careful steering. In the last of the three trials the obstacles were brought to within six feet six inches of each other. This must have required rather a fine calculation, but that well known whip, Mr. Adrian Hope, the winner, came through at a smart pace without disturbing plank or post.—London Daily News.

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DIED.

MAYNARD—In this city on the 16th August, Adelaide M., wife of Albert Maynard, aged 34 years.

The funeral will take place on Thursday, Aug. 18th, from the family residence, No. 100 John street, at 2:30 p.m.

Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

MATHEWS—In this city on the 16th instant, Mary Ann, the beloved wife of Thomas Mathews aged 38 years.

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PUBLIC MEETING.

A citizen's meeting will be held at the Council Chambers, City Hall, Victoria, on Thursday evening, 18th August, for the purpose of discussing the By-Laws which are now before the electors for acceptance or rejection.

Chair will be taken at 8 o'clock p.m.

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